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# Season's Greetings

**St. Francis credited with putting Christ back in Christmas**

By JOE PILET

Turn back the pages of history to the 13th Century and visualize the concerned expression on the face of a handsome and young Italian nobleman as he watches a throng of rowdy street revelers working up spirit to celebrate Christmas.

Francis had abandoned the easygoing life of wealth and founded a religious order to serve the poor. In his heart he knew that Christmas had degenerated into nothing more than a carnival, pagan in superstition, and a holiday devoted to wassail, tingle and quaff.

Turning to his good friend Giovanni Velita, he expressed a desire to bring the Christ Child back vividly to the minds and hearts of the populace.

He felt the celebration should take

place at Greccio. That a crib with hay should be placed with persons representing the Holy Family, and that the ox and ass should be placed in the background.

All who viewed the "presepio," as the crib scene is called in Italy, would recall the birth of the Infant, born in Bethlehem, and destined redeemer — Savior.

On Christmas Eve in 1223 Franciscan friars came from great distances to join St. Francis at Greccio.

They stood before the crib with deep devotion and a Solemn Mass was sung.

Crowds drew near. The night was radiant with many candles and torches and there was rejoicing — songs of praise to God in the Highest. Peace.

Goodwill toward men.

That first dramatization of the stable scene inspired others. The first "creche," as the scene is called by the French, or "nacimiento," as it is known to the Spanish, was a live presentation.

Later figurines were substituted. The first are thought to have been made in Bavaria, and in the Tyrol where wood carving was a fine art.

By the 18th Century every leading family had an elaborate presentation on display.

Costumes were of exquisite materials — shepherds, wisemen, angels, and sheep were added.

In an effort to add to the impressiveness some added windmills that actually turned, some had sprinkling fountains or springs that flowed.

Some of these elaborate sets may be seen today in museums.

Moravians, a Protestant group from Germany, founded the town of Bethlehem in Pennsylvania and on Christmas Eve in 1741 constructed a Nativity Scene as an emotional appeal — an appropriate way to start Christmas should logically be in Bethlehem with the Christ Child.

Nativity Scenes brought to America 241 years ago are found in city, town, hamlet, and remote village throughout the expanse of our United States.

Through these scenes we are truly a "united nation," regardless of race, color or creed we join in the wish for a blessed Christmas with peace toward men of goodwill.

The resolution states a three-mill tax

By BRENT MACEY  
A \$150,000 interfund loan to Hancock County General Hospital, to pay "current operating expenses" was approved by the Hancock County Board of Supervisors at a regular meeting Monday morning.

A resolution from the hospital's board of trustees presented to the supervisors stated the hospital "is having difficulties meeting current operating expenses, and the current expenses exceed the amount of available cash."

The resolution states a three-mill tax will eventually procure approximately \$150,000.

Reverend Charles R. Johnson, chairman of the hospital's Board of Trustees, said the loan would have to be paid back by September of next year.

He said the major need for a loan was the result of a "low census count" in the hospital in October and November of this year when doctors quit the hospital staff and stopped referring their patients to the hospital.

"This reduced our case income," Johnson said. "It took a while to build back up after the change over to new management."

Johnson said the patient count



**Deficit caused by earlier woes**

## Hancock General Hospital procures \$150,000 loan

dropped into the twenties for one month but is currently in the forties or fifties "where it belongs."

He stated the hospital budget is approximately \$3 million per year.

"When you consider that, \$150,000 is not that much money," Johnson added.

He said the loan would be used to pay staff salaries, currently allotted \$80,000 from the budget, pharmaceutical and medical supplies averaging \$80,000 to \$90,000 a month, along with utilities.

In other business, Edward Murtagh, county tax collector, informed the

Assessors and Tax Collector's office is currently mailing all homestead exemptions to tax payers.

Murtagh said approximately 5,500 people will be receiving homestead exemption tax statements "hopefully"

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### Tides

DAY	HIGH		LOW	
	WEEK OF 12-25-80			
Thurs.	1:23 a.m.		1:00 p.m.	
Fri.	1:59 a.m.		1:29 p.m.	
Sat.	2:24 a.m.		1:43 p.m.	
Sun.	2:29 a.m.		1:27 p.m.	
Mon.	12:17 a.m.		12:32 p.m.	
Tues.	9:08 p.m.		10:23 a.m.	
Wed.	8:39 p.m.		9:08 a.m.	
	6:30 p.m.		6:08 a.m.	

**HOSTS OF ANGELIC CHERUBS** on hand to welcome the Bay annual Bay Catholic Elementary's kindergarten Christmas pageant at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church. (Staff photo by Edgar Perez)

## Obituaries

### EARL CHEVIS

Earl Wallace Chevis, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Chevis of 235 St. Charles St., Bay St. Louis, died Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1980 at 2:45 a.m. as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident near Meridian. He was an enlisted man at the Naval Air Base in Meridian.

In addition to his parents, survivors include a brother, Michael Chevis of Vancouver, Wash.; a sister, Sharon (Chevis) Platter of Salt Lake City, Utah; two grandparents, Mrs. William McCallister of Roseland, La.; and Mrs. Agnes Miller of Bay St. Louis.

Friends may call from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at the Main Street United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis.

Funeral services will be held at the church at 1 p.m. Friday followed by interment at Gardens of Memory Cemetery in Bay St. Louis.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

### AMOS PAUL CUEVAS

Amos Paul Cuevas, 72, Route 1, Box 580 in the Standard Community, died Tuesday morning at Hancock General Hospital in Bay St. Louis.

He was a native and lifelong resident of Hancock County.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Nellie Cuevas, and a son, Floyd Cuevas, both of Standard; five grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

Friends called Tuesday after 4 p.m. at the family residence where the funeral was conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Burial followed in the Standard-Sand Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by Riemann Funeral Home, Bay St. Louis.

### LYDIA PHILLIPS

Lydia Adam Phillips, 69, 209 Ramoneda St., Bay St. Louis, died Monday, Dec. 22, 1980 in Gulfport.

Visitors called Tuesday from 6:30 until 10 p.m. at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

A 10 a.m. Mass was celebrated Wednesday at Our Lady of the Gulf

Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis, followed by burial in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mrs. Phillips was a member of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church.

She was the wife of the late Milton Phillips.

She is survived by two brothers, Van Adam of Green Bay, Wis., and Joseph Adam of Little Rock, Ark.

### MR. JESSE JOHNSTON

Mr. Jesse John Johnston, 62, of Route 1, Box 159 in Shoreline Park, died Monday Dec. 22, 1980.

The body was sent from Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis to Jacob Schoen and Son Funeral Home in New Orleans.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Pauline Johnston of Shoreline Park.

### MR. ROBERT WALLACE

A graveside service for Mr. Robert S. Wallace was Saturday at 4 p.m. in the Live Oak Cemetery.

Mr. Wallace, 54, a native of Newark, N.J., and a resident of Rutherford, N.J., died Wednesday, Dec. 17, 1980 in Bloomfield, N.J.

He was a business agent with Ironworkers Union Local No. 11 in Bloomfield and president of the District Council of Ironworkers of Northern New Jersey.

Mr. Wallace was a Navy veteran of World War II and a Presbyterian.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Linda R. Wallace of Diamondhead and Rutherford; two sons, George A. Wallace and Robert S. Wallace, both of Lyndhurst, N.J., and his mother, Mrs. Jean Wallace of North Arlington, N.J.

Rieman Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

## Meridian wreck claims Bay man

### By WAYNE QUOCOMB JR.

A Bay St. Louis man was one of four killed instantly in a one-car accident near Meridian early Tuesday morning.

Earl W. Chevis, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace L. Chevis of 235 St. Charles St. in Bay St. Louis, was killed instantly in the 2:45 a.m. accident some 15 miles north of Meridian on Marian-Lizilia Road in Lauderdale County.

Lauderdale County Sheriff's Department Secretary Pat Bauer reported Wednesday, "The investigating deputy's report states the automobile they were riding in was apparently travelling at an excessive rate of speed."

Lauderdale County Coroner Marl Cobler noted damage to the vehicle was so severe the driver of the automobile will be determined only after results of a blood test are returned from a state laboratory.

"We've got blood samples on all four men and we took a sample of blood from the driver's seat to determine who was driving the car," Cobler said.

"The car ran off the road on the left side of the pavement, traveled 186 feet and hit a large pine tree sideways," the

L. Jarvis, 18, of Baldwinsville, N.Y.; and Randy J. Gillespie, 22, home address unknown, were also killed in the accident.

The four victims were all enlisted men stationed at Meridian Naval Air Station located some 18 miles north of Meridian.

Cobler noted damage to the vehicle was so severe the driver of the automobile will be determined only after results of a blood test are returned from a state laboratory.

"All four were killed instantly in the accident due to broken necks, shattered skulls, cuts, abrasions. Practically every bone in their bodies were broken," the coroner explained.

Bauer noted, "The men were taken to Rush Memorial Hospital in Meridian where they were pronounced dead upon arrival."

Cobler reported, "You wouldn't even recognize the vehicle as a car, it looks like a bomb exploded inside of it."

### Legal Notice

**INVITATION FOR BIDS**  
Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Waveland, Middletown Redevelopment Department, P. O. Box H, Waveland, Mississippi, 39576 until 7:30 P.M. on the 6th day of January 1981, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read.

Bids are invited by the City of Waveland on behalf of Mrs. Edna Summers, owner of the premises located at 405 Ulman Street, Waveland, Mississippi 39576 and Mr. Willie Harrington, Jr., owner of the premises located at 535 Herlihy Street, Waveland, Mississippi 39576 for supplying all materials and performing all labor for the rehabilitation of said premises.

General conditions and specifications and plans for the proposed rehabilitation work are available for the bidder's examination at the Redevelopment Office. Bidders are required to be licensed as general contractors by the City of Waveland.

Bids may be held by the above-named owner for the period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of bidders prior to award of the contract.

JOHNNY LONGO, Mayor  
City of Waveland,  
Mississippi  
12-25-80



Many Thanks  
for prayers  
offered for me  
while I was in  
the hospital.

Wishing everyone a  
Merry Christmas &  
Happy New Year.  
NELIUS & ETHEL  
FAVRE & FAMILY

## Wastewater confab set for Monday

### By BRENT MACEY

A waste water treatment meeting scheduled for Monday at city hall in Bay St. Louis was postponed until 5 p.m. next Monday because Waveland officials were not in attendance.

The meeting was designed to let Bay St. Louis and Waveland officials discuss possibilities of joining the Mississippi Gulf Coast Regional Wastewater Authority's program.

Joseph Gex, attorney for the council, said the contract he had received from the Regional Authority a week ago 'serves the purpose for which it is drafted.'

He added, "Gulf Coast Regional will have total authority."

Members of the council were informed of a meeting slated for 10 a.m. in Jackson Tuesday to discuss the waste water proposal.

No council members were able to attend because of such short notice.

In other business, the council approved a motion to have the council's engineers, Broadway and Seal Engineers of Picayune prepare a proposal for reconstruction for subsurface draining, street widening and sidewalk work on Main Street in Bay St. Louis from South Beach Boulevard to the Hancock County Courthouse and from the Courthouse to Second Street. A second motion listing the same proposals, including work on South Beach Boulevard from Main Street to DeMoluzin Avenue was also approved.

Ronald Murray, federal programs coordinator for the council, said \$142,164 was available from the Federal Aid Urban System Project who would match 30 percent of the money granted to the project by the city.

Also at the Monday meeting, the board:

Accepted a low bid of \$2,353 from Central Pipe Supply Inc. of Jackson for work on water lines on Eighth Street;

Heard a report from city electrician Henry Prevo on the condition of the wiring at Webb Center. Prevo was directed to write up specifications for lights and receptacles needed at the Center.

## Bay man completes courses

A.C. Lambert, Sr., chairman of the Mississippi State Tax Commission reported recently that Mark G. Ohman graduated from Basic Training for Law Enforcement Personnel at the Mississippi Law Enforcement Training Academy in Rankin County. He has been assigned to work on a weigh scale operated by the commission in Hancock County at the Mississippi-Louisiana border.

Lambert noted, "The three weeks' course included basic training conducted by instructors at the academy such as are taught to patrol recruits. Also included were classes in weighing vehicles, fines procedures, briefings on all laws pertaining to privilege tax and proper enforcement of all weight laws."

Ohman is now qualified to enforce all laws administered by the commission in the area of vehicle weight and privilege tax," he said.

"This first training school conducted by the commission successfully graduated 21 recruits out of a beginning class of 22," Lambert added.

MARK G. OHMAN

## Holiday schedules

The following special holiday hours have been reported by institutions and governmental agencies in the Hancock County-Pass Christian area:

Bay St. Louis garbage will not be picked up Thursday. Garbage throughout the city will be picked up Friday.

Waveland will not have garbage pick up Thursday. Trash was not picked up Wednesday. Thursday's garbage day replaced Wednesday trash day. Friday's schedule will be as usual.

Garbage collection routes in Pass Christian. There will be no garbage pick up on Thursday or Friday. Garbage will be collected throughout the city on Monday.

Pass Christian City Hall will be closed Thursday and Friday, and will re-open Monday.

All area banks closed at 1 p.m. Wednesday. Regular hours will resume on Friday.

Bay St. Louis City Hall closed Thursday and will re-open Monday.

Waveland City Hall closed noon Tuesday and will re-open Monday.

The Hancock County Assessor—Tax Collector's office and the Chancery Court office closed Wednesday and will re-open Monday.

The Hancock County Circuit Clerk's office closed at noon Tuesday and will re-open Monday.

### REDUCE TAXABLE SALE PROFIT

If you sell your home and make a profit, Uncle Sam will expect to get a share of that profit in the form of income taxes. That is, unless you reinvest your proceeds in another home or are over 55 and take the \$100,000 gain exemption.

Therefore, those who profit from a home sale, put the check in the bank and rent an apartment, should not overlook any legitimate expenses which would reduce the size of the taxable gain.

Expenses such as the Realtor's commissions, deed preparation, legal and appraisal fees can be taken off

the top. So-called "fix-up" work must be done during the 90 day period before the sale and payment must be made no later than 30 days after the sale.

So-called "fix-up" expenses also lead to tax savings. This "fix-up" work must be done during the 90 day period before the sale and payment must be made no later than 30 days after the sale.

If there is anything we can do to help you in the field of real estate, please phone or drop in at PRESSMAN REALTY, 1332 Hwy. 90 W., Waveland. Phone 457-2224. We're here to help!

### NOTICE

The TG&Y December 26 Circular, shows an incorrect sale price on the Clorox 2® All Fabric Bleach of 2 boxes for 99¢. The sale price should read 99¢ each box. We regret any inconvenience this error may cause.

**TG&Y**

May the blessings of Christmas abide with you

For the first time on that holy night the world was filled with peace and good will. May the gentle joys of this blessed season be with you and your family this Christmas and always.

The  
Edmond Fahey Family

## BIRTHS

LACEY LEA SAHUIQUE  
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sahique of Ansey announce the birth of their sixth child and fourth daughter Lacey Lea, November 24, 1980 at 6:15 a.m. at Hancock General Hospital. She weighed 11 pounds, 5 ounces.

Mrs. Sahique is the former Janet Stoufflet. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stoufflet of Lakeshore.

Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Ruth Sahique of St.

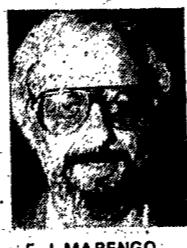
Bernard, La., and the late Mr. Sahique.

GINA NECAISE  
Gina Necaise of Hancock County celebrated her thirteenth birthday December 7 with a party at Twin Pines Skating Rink.

Among those attending were her parents, sisters Lori and Christy; her grandparents; Sharon Peterson; Monica and Billy Tell; her cousins Angie, Suzie and Danielle Schwartz; uncles John and Greg and aunts Sherry and Debbie.

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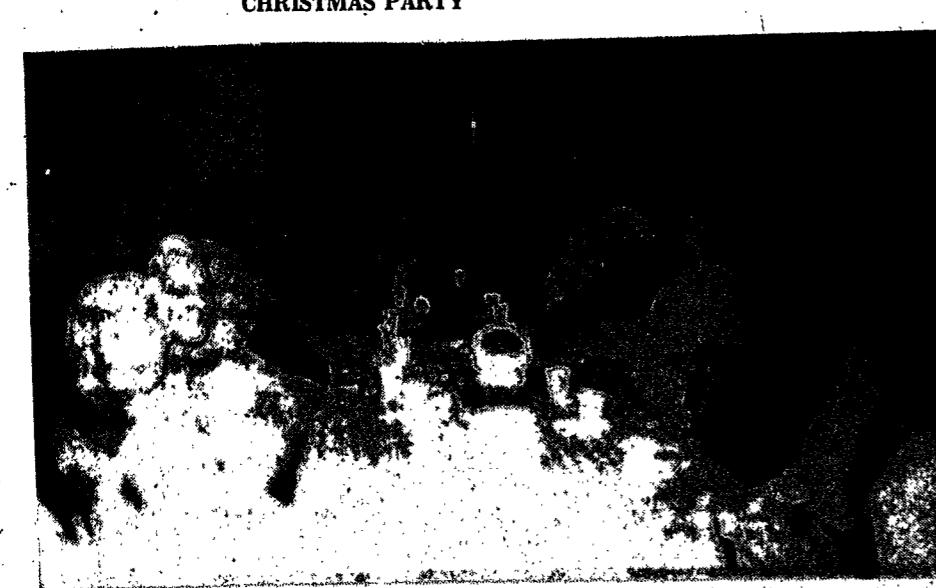
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CHARLES JOHNSON AND PAT SCHOTT PARTY WITH  
HANCOCK SENIORS

## Bits-N-Pieces

By Ellis Cuevas

We have read and viewed on television in recent days the dangers of berries on holiday decorations.

One report said that only two berries from mistletoe could kill a small child.

We urge everyone to be careful with holiday decorations. Even if you do not have children there may be some visiting your home.

Have a very Merry Christmas.

If Christmas has come and you forgot a gift for some special person, or may be didn't know what to get, may we suggest a dog or cat.

The Humane Society always has several dogs and cats up for adoption.

The only requirement they ask is a good home.

Many of the animals have papers, so all are not "Heinz" varieties.

Have you ever watched the face of a young boy or girl receiving a puppy or kitten? Think about it.

If interested in a kitten or dog, call the Humane Society at 467-5765 or 467-9494.

We note there are some idiots still setting steel traps, illegally at that, in our city limits.

One recent trapping incident caused a Waveland kitty to lose some toes.

It was not too long ago, a large pet dog in Bay St. Louis

## Holiday safety concerns state, local authorities

By EDGAR PEREZ

State and local police officials are urging motorists to exercise extra caution on the streets and highways during the four-day Christmas and New Year holiday periods.

"We hope the extra efforts on traffic law enforcement we will be making during the holidays will not be misunderstood - we are not trying to mislead anyone, we are concentrating on saving life and preventing injury," said Bay St. Louis Police Chief Douglas Williams.

Waveland Police Chief Donald Dorn is urging drivers who are drinking to

make arrangements to have someone else do the driving.

And Hancock County Sheriff Ronald Peterson said safety on county roads and highways will be his department's number one priority during the holiday periods.

Mississippi Public Safety Commissioner Sidney B. Berry has issued a plea to motorists to "Slow down - take time to live."

"Please drive safely and courteously and obey the traffic laws so this will be a truly joyous holiday season," Berry added.

"Take time to enjoy life," he

was caught in a similar trap.

Not that we are wishing any bad luck on anyone, we just hope that persons setting those traps, realize such cruelty has a way of coming home to roost.

We wish to extend congratulations to the members of Pere LeDuc Council No. 1522 Knights of Columbus on the celebration of their 70th anniversary on Dec. 18.

The KC Hall on Main Street has been a landmark for so many years.

We have known Grand Knight Bob Hubbard for many years, as well as many of the members of the local Knights of Columbus.

Many, many community endeavours have been spearheaded by the local council, and we congratulate everyone for their fine community work.

We hope the next 70 years will include as many community projects as the previous 70.

Today more than 99 percent of the population will be off with their families to enjoy Christmas.

We think we should remember those few who have to work because of their jobs.

We are talking about the doctors and nurses and staff at hospitals, police, firemen and dispatchers.

Their's are needed services and we should remember them for their contributions to our society.

## CONSUMER REPORT

BILL ALLAIN,  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

A blue ribbon committee of legislators and laymen has just completed its exhaustive study of Mississippi's public education system with a series of sound recommendations for improving the state's schools.

One of the principal recommendations from the committee calls for creation of public kindergartens.

Significantly, the recommendation comes just at the time a Michigan Group reports on an evaluation of the benefits of pre-school education. The report concludes a study of a test group in Ypsilanti, Michigan, which followed the group from preschool education through high school.

Here are some of the results of the test:

—by the eighth grade, children who had preschool education tested at one and a half grade levels ahead of those who had no preschool education.

—those with preschool education were more interested in their school work and even more willing to do homework.

—children with preschool training caused fewer problems in the classroom than did those without preschool training.

—and, the report said, a \$6,000 investment in the preschool education of a student resulted in a savings of \$15,000 to the child, his parents, and society.

The study proved, concluded one of the directors, that high quality preschool education is worth the cost.

The Mississippi Economic Council and a number of other organizations in Mississippi interested in education believe early childhood education in this state will be well worth the cost.

## NEWS FROM THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

JACKSON — Governor William Winter last week named his executive assistant, Bill Cole, to serve as state treasurer for the unexpired term of John Dale. Dale died December 13.

Cole, an attorney, served as special assistant attorney general and executive assistant to former Attorney General A. F. Summer.

He directed the Winter administration's transition effort and since January has served as executive assistant and legal counsel to the governor.

Cole also serves as secretary of the Governor's Policy Council and secretary of the Judicial Nominating Committee.

He is a member of the staff advisory council of the Southern Governors' Association and the staff advisory council to the National Governors' Association on Community and Economic Development.

The 32-year-old Jackson native, who was legislative assistant to former Congressman Charles Griffin, studied at Hinds Junior College and graduated

from the University of Mississippi with a bachelor of public administration degree.

He received his doctorate in law from the University of Mississippi Law School in 1974.

Winter said he selected Cole for his "professionalism, proven ability and vast knowledge of the complexities of state government."

Commenting on his appointment, Cole said, "John Dale was well-respected as a public servant. He administered the office of state treasurer with dedication and integrity. It is certainly my hope and desire that I can administer the office in the same tradition."

Cole pledged to be an active state treasurer, saying, "I intend to represent the best interests of the people of Mississippi in handling the fiscal responsibilities of this office."

As state treasurer, Cole will serve on the State Bond Commission, State Depository Commission, Public Employees Retirement Board and the State License Tag Commission.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Good Samaritan may be

### Lee Harvey, deserves a reward

Dec. 23, 1980

Editor

The Sea Coast Echo

Bay St. Louis, Ms

Dear Sir:

Yes, Audrey, there is a Santa Claus. And his name is Lee Harvey (or it sounds like Lee Harvey).

He made his appearance at Our Shopping Center this week after Audrey Comeaux of Waveland discovered her purse was missing.

Frantically retracing her steps, she had given up all hope of recovering it and went home.

There, her daughter told her a man

had just called. His name was Lee Harvey. The daughter was told to meet him at the Exxon service station.

She did and the man gave her daughter the purse with everything intact.

Now Mrs. Comeaux would like to thank Lee Harvey to give him his Christmas present. Her daughter was too excited over retrieving the purse to think of giving a reward.

But he has it coming to him, with her sincerest wishes for a very Merry Christmas.

Stacie Comeaux  
Waveland

### Corner of Washington and Beach traditionally residential

Dec. 23, 1980

Editor

The Sea Coast Echo

Bay St. Louis

Dear Sir:

If one is to speak of grandfather uses in relation to zoning, I can speak more historically than Mr. Seller.

The property in question - the corner of South Beach and Washington - was the yard of the Manieri residence which my family rented and lived in in 1921-1922.

It was definitely residential!

Across the street was the Bay Waveland Yacht Club. Subsequently it became, in the early thirties when depression had closed the yacht club, Un-

cle Charlie's night club with weekly Saturday night dances.

Until after 1934 there could certainly never have been a bar there. Later it became a picture show.

Before zoning, Seller's bought the Manieri property, but the corner remained non-commercial until the 50's or 60's.

There is a concerted plot to unzone this neighborhood adjacent to the fishing pier.

What of the people who thought they owned homes in an R-1 neighborhood? Will they always have to fight to maintain this status?

Sincerely,  
Gertrude Partridge Stanton  
Bay St. Louis

### Social work student supports association opposition to game

Editor

The Sea Coast Echo

Bay St. Louis

Dear Sir:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank your fine newspaper for printing the article which appeared on 18 December concerning the new "game."

As a student of social work, a member of National Association of Social Workers, and a representative on the board of the Mississippi Chapter, I, too, was outraged to learn that such a "game" was for sale.

Mr. Alexander brought out some very good points about those people who are welfare recipients and I urge all those who believe the myths about large cars and food stamp steaks to review their ideas.

The fact of my profession does not,

however, cloud my vision. I believe that our welfare system is greatly in need of reform and I realize that fraud and inequities abound.

However, I do not believe that we can bring about reform by playing games that make light of those trapped in poverty.

It still remains a great shame in our rich country that people are still without food, shelter, and adequate clothing.

This is a time of great economic stress for our country. I urge all Christian-minded citizens to re-think their values and attitudes and direct some creative action to change the status quo.

Sincerely,  
Marjorie Musick  
Bay St. Louis

CC: Ms. Carolyn Townes  
Mississippi Chapter,  
NASW

### Stennis announces annual 'Hour of Accountability' News Conference'

News Editor

The Sea Coast Echo

Post Office Box 230

Bay St. Louis, Ms 39520

Dear News Editor:

On Tuesday, Dec. 30 at 10 a.m. I will hold my annual 'Hour of Accountability' News Conference' at Le Fleur's Convention Center on I-55 North in Jackson.

This annual session with representatives of the Mississippi news media gives me the opportunity to report to the people of Mississippi, through

media, on the major issues of concern in our state and nation. The questions and discussion with members of the news media are most helpful to me. It gives us an opportunity to review major legislative action taken during the past year and to discuss legislation expected during the coming year.

With special good wishes for a happy holiday season, I am

Your friend,  
John C. Stennis  
United States Senator

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# Ag Affairs

## RECYCLING LEAVES, FIREWOOD

As autumn turned to winter this month many thousands of Mississippians were busy raking leaves for garbage trucks to haul off, and many of these and others were feeding somewhat expensive firewood to their wood stoves and fireplaces and many of these likely did not fully realize both of these tree products can and should be recycled.

The best part is, with fertilizer prices constantly rising, the leaves from one mature shade tree have a soil building value of about \$15 and can be processed as conveniently as carrying them to a backyard compost pile, and wood ashes not only contribute nutrient values to the soil but also serve as a deterrent to insect ravages.

Industrial chemist Harry Faust of Stone Lake, Wis., believes leaves and other organic matter which often are ignored will play a great fertilizer role in the years ahead as fossil-fuel based synthetic fertilizers become scarce and too expensive to produce.

Already there is a serious phosphate shortage, Faust points out, and he believes domestic supplies of rock phosphate may be exhausted by 1995.

Wood ashes contain anywhere from 20 to 53 percent lime, three to seven percent phosphorus, and from eight to 20 percent potash—the latter two being two of the basic components of a complete fertilizer.

Asches also contain trace elements of sodium, magnesium, iron, silicon, and sulfur.

It is also are high calcium carbonate, or lime, which is needed in many soils to raise the pH factor for optimum production. And the highest percentages of these ingredients are derived from hardwood ashes.

While these ingredients from either compost or wood ashes do not come in such quantities that they are good substitutes for fertilizers in normal agricultural pursuits, they nevertheless may make a valuable contribution to improving both soil quality and plant nutrient capability, particularly in small plots such as home gardens.

These garden plot freebies, are especially useful when it is realized that lime serves as a soil alkalinizer and is helpful to many plants unless they are acid-lovers such as blueberries, azaleas or rhododendrons. And liming potato soil can create a problem with scab.

Phosphorus stimulates seed and root growth, hastens maturity, boosts fruit growth and improves a plant's resistance to diseases and winterkill, and also aids vitamin development.

Potassium, or potash, influences initial root and tuber growth and promotes sturdiness.

Garden vegetables which particularly benefit from wood ashes, include peas, beets, carrots, cucumbers, radishes, squash, corn, tomatoes, peppers, bulbous root crops, grapes, and other fruits. Asparagus likes salt or sodium.

Ashes should be added into the soil instead of spread on top to prevent leaching.

Old timers may recall effective uses of wood ashes around root crops to discourage root maggot flies in radishes, onions, turnips and cabbage while it also has been a useful practice to sprinkle ashes around plants to deter slugs, snails, and cutworms.

Combining these two refuse products works well as ashes may be added to compost piles instead of limestone at the rate of two cups of ashes instead of one cup of limestone.

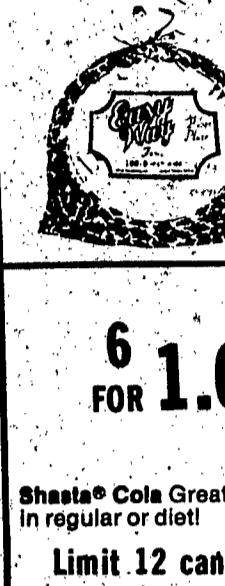
If there are two warnings wood ash users would respect the avoidance of ashes from color printed magazines or comic pages because of traces of such toxic substances in colored ink as chromium, zinc, and copper. Even the gases from these burning substances should be avoided. And worse yet, the ashes of painted wood contain traces of lead and should be avoided.

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**NEW WHIP** — Mississippi Congressman Trent Lott, left, welcomes Donald Regan, who is President-elect Ronald Reagan's choice to become Secretary of the Treasury, to his Capitol Hill office. Lott, incoming House Republican Whip, said Regan's

visit was an initial "get acquainted" one, but he hoped it signaled a new phase of cooperation between Congress and the executive branch during the Reagan administration.

## Lott meets Reagan Cabinet

Two men chosen by President-elect Ronald Reagan to serve in his Cabinet recently paid "get acquainted" calls on Mississippi Congressman Trent Lott, incoming House Republican Whip.

Raymond J. Donovan, secretary-designate of Labor, and Donald Regan, secretary-designate of the Treasury, spent about one-half hour each in separate sessions with Lott in his

Capitol Hill office.

"I appreciate the effort of these two outstanding individuals to make early contacts on Capitol Hill," Lott said.

"It speaks well of the relationship the executive branch will have with Congress over the course of the Reagan administration," he noted.

Lott, elected House Republican Whip for the 97th Congress which begins in

January, said he hopes all Reagan Cabinet choices will be confirmed quickly by the Senate.

President-elect Reagan's choices for his Cabinet have been individuals of high caliber," Lott stated.

"I believe he is assembling an excellent executive team which will work to move our country forward," he added.

## State Highway Department commends county road upkeep

Maintenance of Hancock County roads has received commendation from the State Highway Department for the fifth consecutive year.

All county roads are inspected annually by the State Highway Department to determine quality of the maintenance provided by the Board of Supervisors.

During an inspection tour Dec. 5, George C. Pate, district engineer, found "no items needing immediate attention."

In his report to the Board of Supervisors, Pate said: "You gentlemen are commended for the work done thus far. Your interest in good maintenance

made the inspection more meaningful and constructive."

Except for a few "discrepancies" needing correction as soon as practicable," the engineer reported that "maintenance was found to be satisfactory over the whole county, with some roads in excellent condition."

Minor items needing attention included mowing some rights-of-way, replacing hazard markers at bridges, repairing a pot hole; cleaning an occasional ditch, fertilizing and seeding bare areas and similar maintenance. "Very little litter was observed on the

rights-of-way," the state engineer noted.

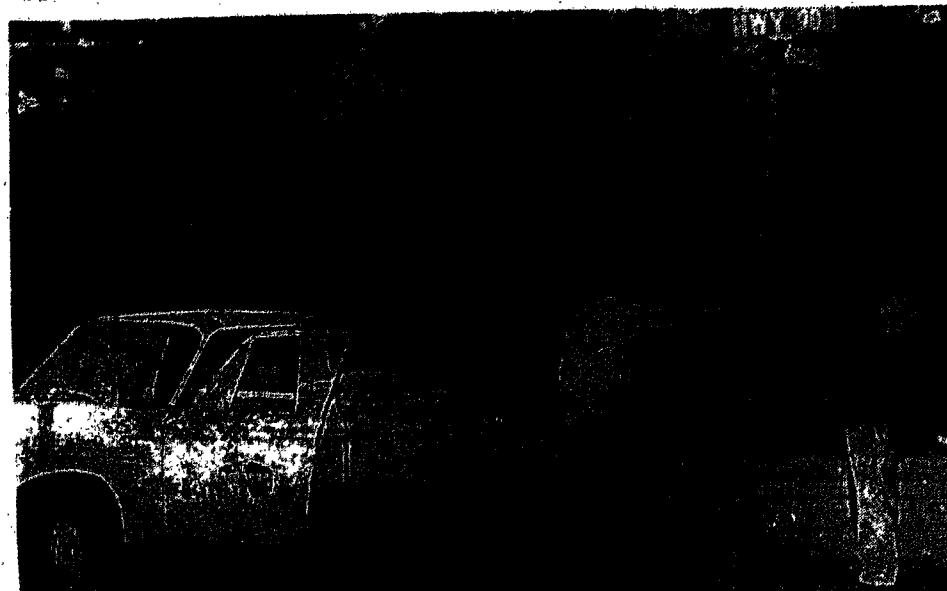
"Nearly all surface raveling (shoulders) were repaired and surfaces were in good condition," he added.

"Bridges were clean and painted. Ditches and culverts were clean except on some of the older roads, where ditches need cleaning," the engineer's report said.

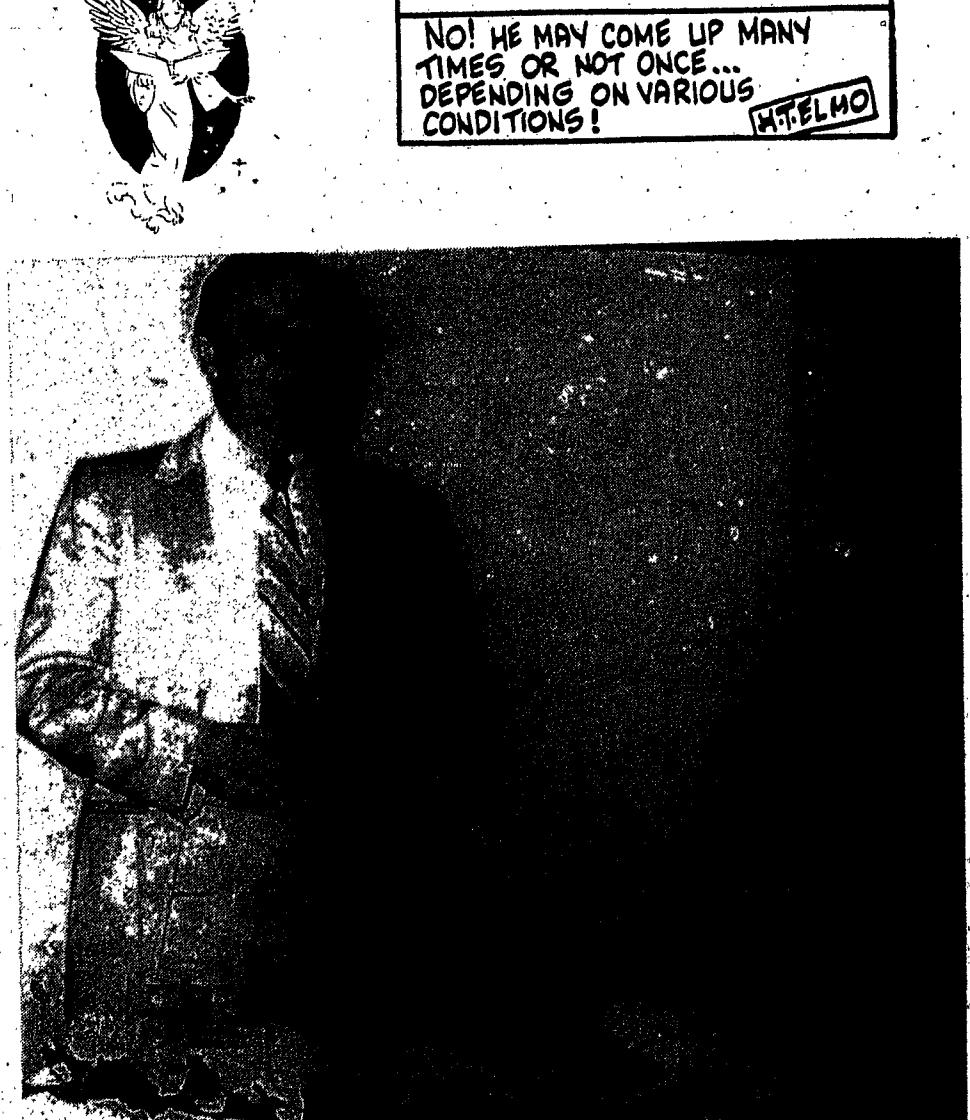
Accompanying Pate on his inspection tour were Supervisors Dolph Keller, Roger Dale Ladner, Sam Pernicaro and James N. Travirca, and county engineer Larry Seal.



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**SPRUCING UP FOR THE HOLIDAYS** — Bay St. Louis' Street Department Foreman Charles (Junior) Gillum, left, and department laborer Robert Vontoura, center, straighten a sign on US-90 as Laelie Raylou observes. City crews are straightening and installing signs to aid holiday drivers. (Staff photo by Wayne Dufour Jr.)



**ROTARY CHRISTMAS DINNER** — Ruble Griffin, Circuit judge, and Mrs. Griffin were guests of honor at the Bay St. Louis Rotary Club's annual Christmas party. Griffin lightened the festivities held recently at the Peppermill Restaurant with some of his favorite stories. (Photo by Bob Hubbard)



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between now and the first week of January.

He said the exemption mailings will include a stamped, self-addressed return envelope.

"We will also be mailing tax bills to all the people whose addresses we now have," he stated.

Total mailing will be approximately 18,000 at a cost of \$4,400, Murtagh said.

"We are trying to work out a mailing program. We can handle a lot more mail than we can people," Murtagh said in reference to the number of people who have previously lined up at the county courthouse to pay taxes at the beginning of every year.

Murtagh said his office has obtained listings of all Diamondhead residences and that that location will be handled by mail.

In other business, the board heard a complaint from Hubert Dubuis concerning construction plans for Fire Tower Road, a state aid road bordering in part on his property.

Dubuis asked the board to review and reconsider the "economics and necessity" of building a state aid road.

"Is it really necessary to put in a state aid facility when all we need is a county road?" Dubuis questioned.

Dubuis said plans call for 40 foot wide road and 80 foot right-of-way along with replacing fences all the way back to Hwy. 603.

"It just does not add up. It's like taking money and throwing it down a pot hole."

"I'm asking you to reevaluate the cost and add put state aid funds where they can do some good," he explained.

Board Engineer Don Murray said \$300,000 has already been spent on the road and that plans for future work are already in Jackson.

During the Monday meeting, the board also heard from attorneys Aaron Adams and Joel Blass concerning an extension of Adams Street in Pearlington called Coward Road.

The board had taken the matter under advisement at their Dec. 15 meeting in order to view the road in question.

The board moved to keep the matter under advisement until a case is filed and appears before Chancery Court during the first two weeks in February.

In further business, the board:

—Approved Lawrence Ladner Road to be maintained by the county and considered a county road.

—Took under advisement a petition to abandon Pick Cue Road. The road falls under A.A. (Dolph) Keller's beat, and Keller was not present.

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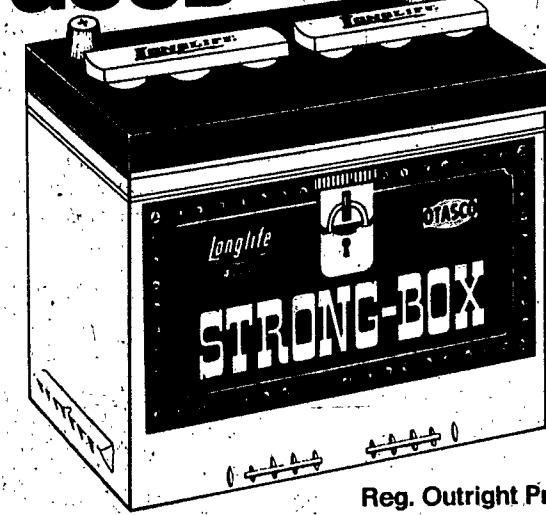
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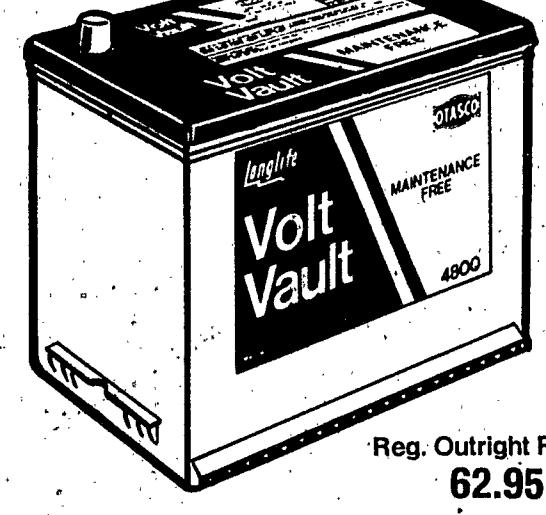
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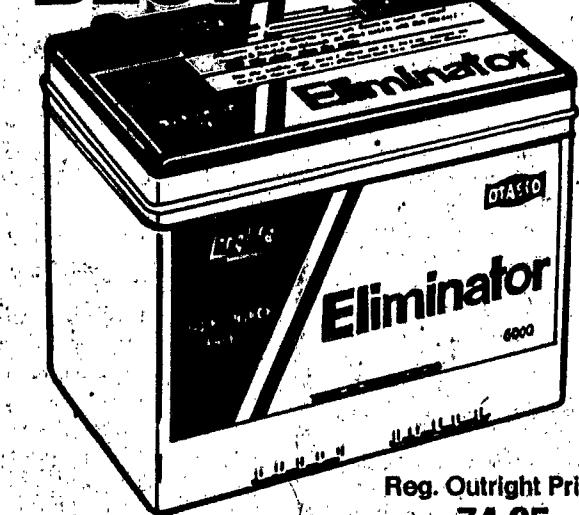


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## Charles B. Murphy students present Christmas program

By KAREN CAYOT  
PROGRAM DIRECTOR  
Charles B. Murphy Elementary School presented its Christmas program Thursday evening in Pearlington.

Georgianna Garvin opened the show by welcoming all parents and guests who attended.

Santa Claus, played by Ronald Doyle of the Fourth Grade, visited while students sang 'Up On The Housetop' and he magically made a Christmas Tree come to life.

The Glee Club, sponsored by teacher David Stockstill, sang a rousing version of 'Rocking Around The Christmas Tree.'

After rocking around the tree, Kiesha Keppard made her debut as the Virgin Mary during a First Grade depiction of a nativity scene.

Joseph was played by Orenthian Bradley, Wise Men were Jeron Vince and Bobby Doyle, and DeWitt Reynolds and Darrin Acker completed the special scene as shepherds.

Another special scene was presented by a group of students from grades five through eight.

The Charles B. Murphy Christmas Choir sang 'Silver Bells.' Then a group from the choir sang a beautiful song of Christ's birth, 'No Golden Carriage.' The singing group of girls included Brigitte Washington, Jeannie Bell, Danielle Lord, Kamy Hotard,

Shanna Day, Delisa Bullock, Taren Breland, and DuJuan Griffin.

Second Graders had their stockings ready to be filled as they sang a song about 'Jolly Old St. Nick.'

St. Nick was surprised by angels during 'Hark! The Herald Angels Sing.' Resplendent in halos and wings, the angels were chosen on the basis of their good grades for the past nine weeks of school.

The angels were: Miquel Wheat, Chene Drake, Lutricia Smith, Mickie Bello, Shelia Furey, Debra Leech, Tyrus Jackson, Virgil Robinson and Brian Hughs of the Third Grade.

Another group of angelic sounding voices from the Christmas Choir sang 'The Gift Of Love.' The quartet included Georgianna Garvin, Pauline LeJohn, Charletta Robinson and Treney Forrest.

Then the Christmas Choir called all the children together by singing 'Oh Come Little Children.' The entire school ended the program by singing a holiday greeting, 'We Wish You A Merry Christmas.'

Fourth grade teacher Denise Wilkinson assisted the production as stage manager. Operating the spotlight was librarian Nancy Carson.

The program was organized, directed, and accompanied by Special Education teacher Karen Cayot.



Nancy Sanders' first graders.



Elizabeth Lyle's second graders.



Earlean Burney's third graders.

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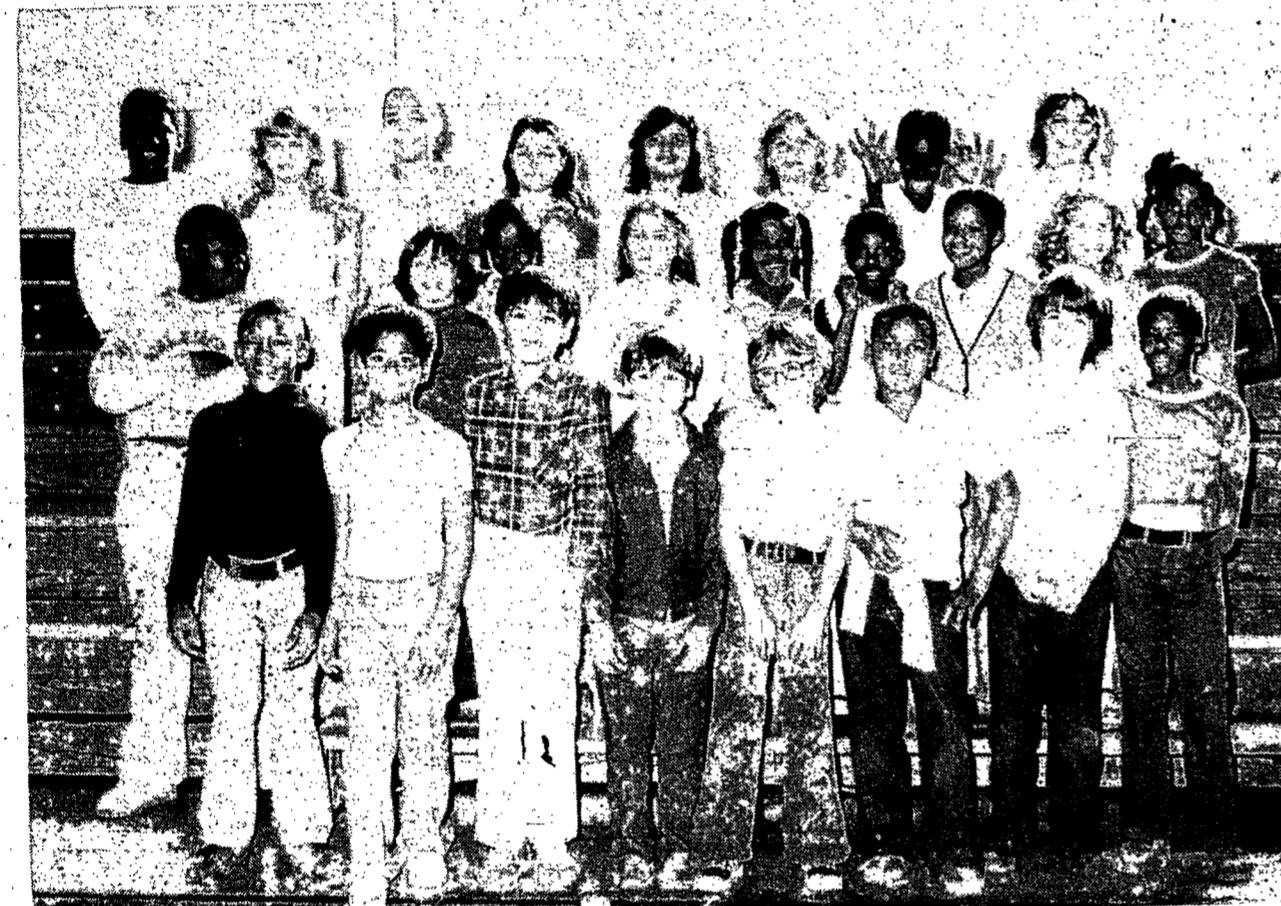
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Denise Wilkinson's fourth graders.



A Glee Club of fifth-eighth graders.



A Christmas Choir of fifth-eighth graders.



PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS — Practicing for Charles B. Murphy Elementary School's Christmas program are, from left, Ronald Doyle disguised as Santa Claus, Special Education Teacher and Program Director Karen Cayot and fourth grade teacher Denise Wilkinson.

## Diabetics warned of eye disease

With the number of diabetics in the United States rising steadily, an eye disease linked to their condition is fast emerging as the nation's leading cause of blindness.

The Mississippi Society to Prevent Blindness reports an eye disorder, diabetic retinopathy, is already the number one cause of new cases of vision loss among adults between ages 20 and 74 — some 4,700 a year.

"The longer a person has diabetes, the greater risk of retinopathy," says Dr. Richard Blunt, Medical Advisory Committee Chairman of the Society. "Most of those who have diabetes for 15 years or more are affected by it to some degree. It is estimated that there may be as many as 10 million Americans who are diabetic," he states.

State Executive Director Edith Mullin says, "Since early diagnosis improves the chance of saving vision in many cases, the society urges all diabetics to have regular eye examinations by an ophthalmologist (medical eye specialist)."

To inform those at risk about retinopathy and the need for regular eye care, the society has just issued a

## Military Mention

**SGT. JOHN D. TREES**  
Technical Sgt. John D. Treese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Treese of 1200 Seventh St. in Long Beach is a member of an organization which has received the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award at Keesler Air Force Base.

"The U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award is earned by members of an Air Force unit for exceptionally meritorious service or outstanding achievement that clearly sets the unit apart from similar units," an Air Force spokesman said recently.

**SCOTT T. DUNCAN**  
Marine Pvt. Scott T. Duncan, son of Collette Ladner of Route 2, Box 351-K, Bay St. Louis, recently participated in Combined Arms Exercise 1-81 in the California desert.

Duncan is a member of the 2nd Tank Battalion, 8th Marines, based at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

"Conducted at the Marine Corps Air-Ground Combat Center, 29 Palms, Combined Arms Exercise 1-81 was designed to emphasize fire support coordination between air, tank, artillery, mortar and anti-tank missile units. His unit was also involved in advanced tank gunnery, utilizing live firing and other training following the exercise," a Marine spokesman explained.

**PVT. WAYNE JOHNSTON**  
Pvt. Wayne J. Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston of 303 Ballentine St. in Bay St. Louis, has completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

During training, Johnston received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

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Mullin explains, "In retinopathy, small blood vessels nourishing the retina, the eye's back layer which is vital to vision, weaken and break down. The disease is unpredictable — episodes of blood vessel damage can be followed by selfhealing and loss of symptoms."

"Even though a majority of long-term diabetics have some blood vessel damage, only about five percent develop severe vision impairment or blindness," she adds.

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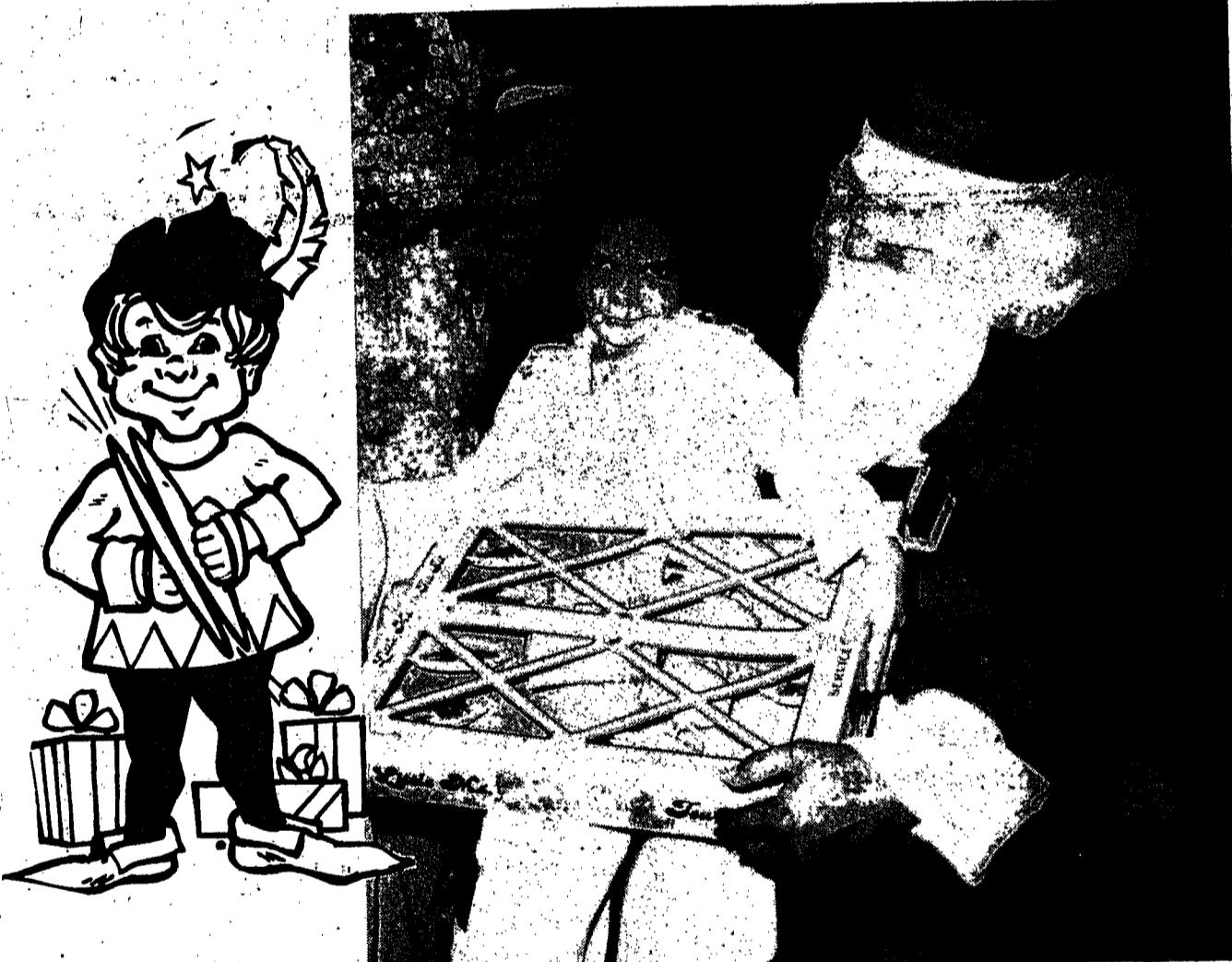
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## The First Night of Christmas

By Grace Gibson

'Twas the night of the first Christmas and all through the place  
All the creatures were stirring, excitement on each face.  
Swaddling clothes were hanging on a manger with care  
For a new born Baby would soon be placed there.  
The animals had been nestled all snug in their stalls,  
But they rose and moved quickly as each heard a call.  
No nudging was needed, not even a rap  
To wake them quickly from a long winter's nap.  
For out near the inn there had been some quiet chatter  
And each creature wondered what could be the matter.  
So they rose from their beds. They stretched and one groaned  
Then grew quiet and looked outside. They'd heard a low moan.  
When what to their wondering eyes should appear  
But a tired little donkey drawing quite near,  
With a young man leading, but not lively nor quick.  
He was so tired that he leaned on a stick.  
A young woman was riding, her time was quite near.  
When she saw the warm stable she shed just one tear.  
Soon after they entered, the little Baby arrived.  
The animals all watched and were quickly satisfied.  
He was wrapped in swaddling clothes and laid in the manger;  
With angels watching over Him, there was not any danger.  
He was chubby and plump, a right jolly little Boy,  
And the creatures around Him were filled with great joy.  
He made not a sound but smiled and closed His eyes.  
Joseph held Mary's hand, filled with wonder all the while.  
Out in the field shepherds watched over their flock;  
When an angel appeared it was quite a shock.  
But the angel calmed their fear and told of the birth  
Of Jesus, our Lord, Prince of all the Earth.  
And in a land far away, wise men raised their eyes  
To see the large star shining brightly in the skies.  
They followed it many miles - the Savior to see,  
And gave great gifts when they found the family.  
And the angels sang as they left with the wind -  
"Glory to God in the highest. And on earth, peace to all men!"

## Christmas--Jesus' Birthday

By Hazel Banister Selph

Christmas is upon us once again,  
The day of Jesus' lowly birth;  
Angels sang about Him in sweet refrain,  
The day our Saviour came to earth.

His tender sweet Mother was standing there,  
She adored her tiny Baby Boy;  
She knew He was "Special" and so fair,  
He brought to the world Heaven's joy.

He grew and He taught as He walked among men,  
Was crucified, died, and then put away;  
He arose from the grave and was seen again,  
Ascended to Heaven - will come back some day.

A Babe no longer - this Saviour of us all,  
God's gift of His Son on that long ago day;  
His birthday of Christmas we like to recall,  
Yes 'tis Christmas - 'tis Christmas  
It's Jesus' Birthday.

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New Year's Day—Mass, 9 a.m.

ST. ROSE DE LIMA  
Christmas Day—9 a.m.  
New Year's Eve—6 p.m.  
New Year's Day—7 and 9 a.m.

ST. CLARE'S  
Christmas Day—Mass, 10:15 a.m.

ST. ANN'S, CLERMONT  
Christmas Day—Mass, 10:15 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S, LAKESHORE  
Christmas Day, Mass, 9 a.m.

AA  
The Bay-Waveland Group of  
Alcoholics Anonymous meets  
Thursday at 8 p.m. at St.  
Augustine Seminary, Ulman  
Avenue, Bay St. Louis. For in-  
formation or assistance, call  
467-6414.

W.W. I VETS  
Veterans of World War I hold  
their meetings every 4th  
Thursday at the American  
Legion Home in Bay St. Louis  
at 3 p.m.

## FRIDAY

AA  
The Pass Christian Group of  
Alcoholics Anonymous meets  
at 8 p.m. Fridays at Trinity  
Episcopal Church, Church  
Street, Pass Christian. For  
information, call 368-1114.

AL-ANON  
The Pass Christian Al-Anon  
Group meets at 8 p.m. each  
Friday at Trinity Episcopal  
Church, Church Street, Pass  
Christian. For assistance, call  
368-1114.

## SATURDAY

JOY BROADCAST  
Rev. J. J. McClain, pastor  
of New Hope Baptist Church,  
Pearl River, is featured  
speaker on the Joy of Truth  
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Saturday

## SUNDAY

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST  
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Latter-Day Saints, Waveland  
branch, McLaurin and  
Nicholson, Aaronic and  
Melchizedek Priesthood  
meetings, RELIEF Society,  
Primary and Young Women 9  
a.m. to 9:50 a.m.  
Sunday School 10 a.m. to  
10:40 a.m.

Sacrament meeting 10:50  
a.m. to 12 noon.  
Visitors welcome.

WAVELAND BAPTIST  
The First Baptist Church of  
Waveland, corner of Jeff  
Davis and St. Joseph streets,  
Sunday schedule, includes  
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.;  
worship service, 11 a.m. to  
noon; Bible study, 8 p.m.; and  
evening worship service, 7 to 8  
p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH  
Central Baptist Church US-  
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Waveland, Sunday Services:  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.;  
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.;  
Training service, 6 p.m.;  
Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.;  
Wednesday: Mid Week  
Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.

MAIN STREET UMC  
The Main Street United  
Methodist Church in Bay St.  
Louis holds Sunday Services  
at 11 a.m. preceded by Sunday  
School at 10 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST  
First Missionary Baptist  
Church, Sycamore and Third  
Street, Sunday School, 9:30 to  
10:45 a.m.; Worship service 11  
a.m.; Baptist Training Union  
5:30 p.m.; Evening Worship  
8:30 p.m. each Sunday.

WORD OF FAITH  
Sunday Service  
9:30 Bible Training, 10:30  
Worship at Waveland Civic  
Center, Coleman Ave. &  
Central, Ernest Culley,  
Pastor.

## SUNDAY

WAVELAND METHODIST  
Sunday Worship at 9 a.m.  
followed by Sunday School at  
10 a.m. The Waveland United  
Methodist Church is at Central  
and Vacation Lane. Willis  
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
The Bay St. Louis First  
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The First Presbyterian  
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services: Church School 9:45  
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LUTHERAN CHURCH  
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Pines, 412 U.S.-90, Waveland,  
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a.m., Sunday School.

AA  
Alcoholics Anonymous open  
meetings including friends  
and relatives of members  
open at 7:30 p.m. Sundays at  
Virginia Hall, Christ Episcopal  
Church, Bay St. Louis.

GAMES  
The Knights of Columbus  
no. 1522 sponsors games night  
each Sunday, 7 p.m. at the  
Council Home.

## MONDAY

TAKE OFF POUNDS  
Take Off Pounds Sensibly, a  
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Henderson Avenue, Pass  
Christian. For information  
call Anna Swanier, 459-4445.

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The Bay-Waveland group of  
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Augustine Seminary, Bay St.  
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SWEET ADELINE  
Chapter of Sweet Adelines  
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at the Diamondhead Sales  
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## TUESDAY

KILN AA  
Alcoholics Anonymous  
meets at 8 p.m. Tuesdays at  
Annunciation School in the  
Kilm.

SIDELINE CLUB  
The Sideline Club meets  
every Tuesday, 8 p.m. at the  
St. Stanislaus cafeteria.

Special Notice  
The Arts Council of Bay St.  
Louis and Waveland,  
Mississippi, Inc. was incor-  
porated October 31, 1980.

The purpose of this Council  
is to help promote fine arts in  
Hancock County.

There will be an  
organizational meeting of the  
council Sunday, Dec. 23.

Any group, organization, or  
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days, for more information.

Happy Holidays

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## WEDNESDAY

A.A.

Young people open meeting  
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Charles F. Rush, 467-3982,  
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PRAYER GROUP  
'Intercessory Prayer group  
for Christ Episcopal Church,  
meets Wednesdays 9 a.m. at  
Virginia Hall. Holy Communion  
and Holy Unction Services at 10 a.m.

ROTARY CLUB  
Bay-Waveland-Hancock  
county Rotary Club meets  
each Wednesday, 12:10 p.m. at  
the Homestead Restaurant,  
Main Street, Bay St. Louis.

OVEREATERS  
Overeaters Anonymous  
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Diamondhead Men's Day is  
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Commerce office, US-90, Bay  
St. Louis. Visitors are  
welcome. For information call  
Chuck Benigno, president, 467-  
4793.

SOLAR COUNCIL

The Mississippi Solar  
Coalition will meet Monday,  
December 29, at 7 p.m. in the  
Seventh Floor Conference  
Room of the Mississippi  
Research and Development  
Center at 3825 Ridgewood  
Road in Jackson. The Solar  
Council will give a presenta-  
tion on Solar Energy in  
Mississippi followed by round  
table discussions. Interested  
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For more information contact  
the Mississippi Solar Council  
at (601) 355-7495.

AA STUDY GROUP

The Bay-Waveland Group of  
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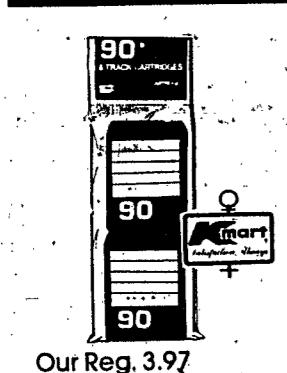
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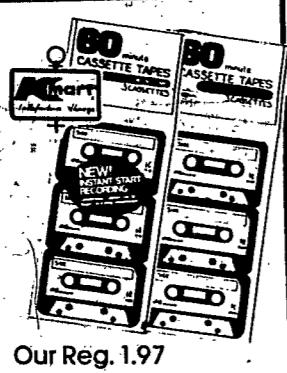
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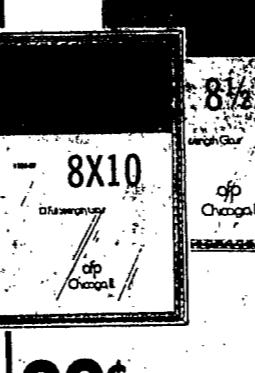
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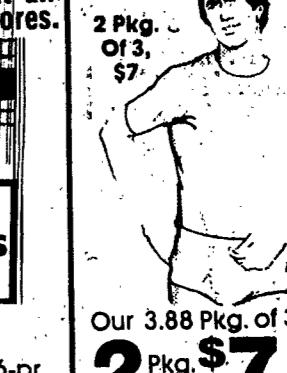
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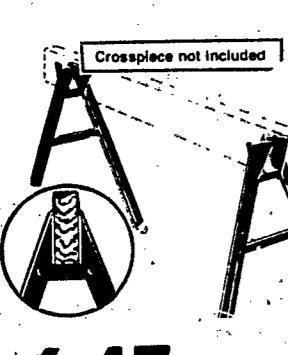


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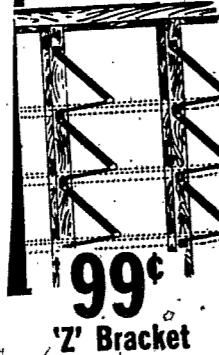
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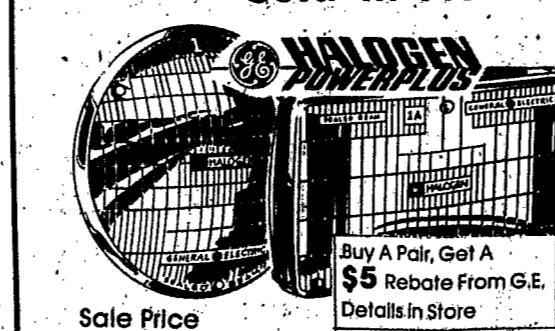
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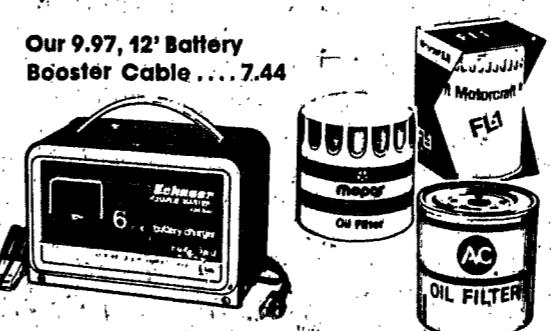
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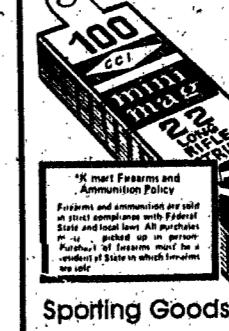
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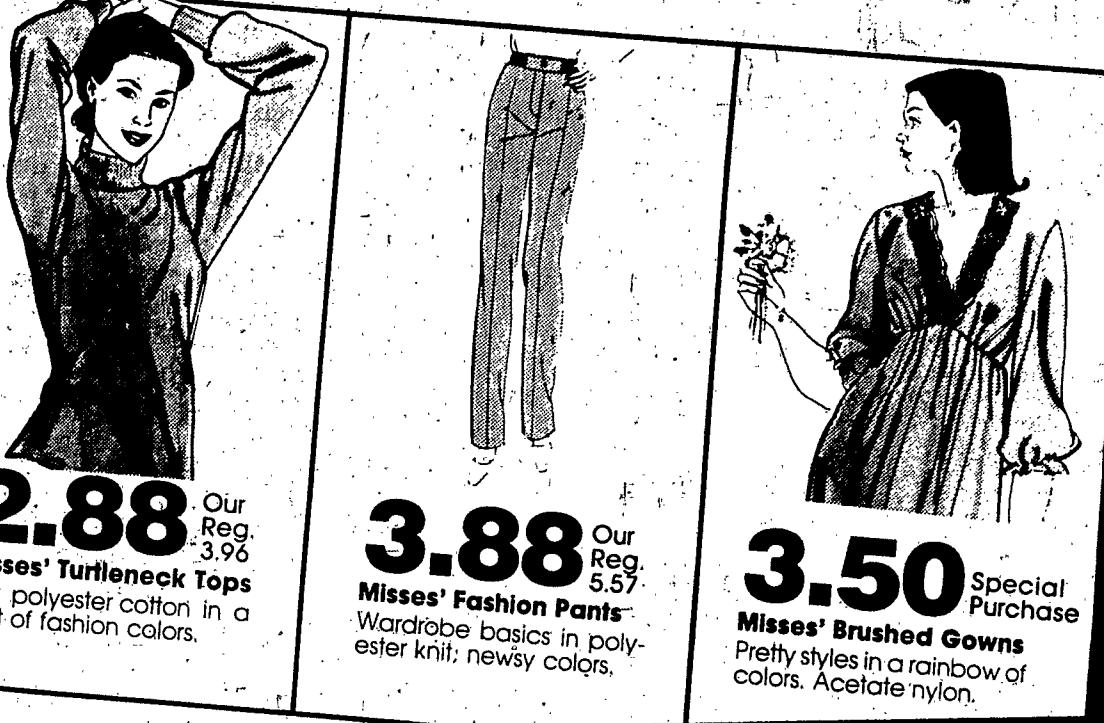
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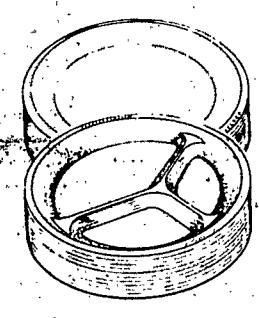
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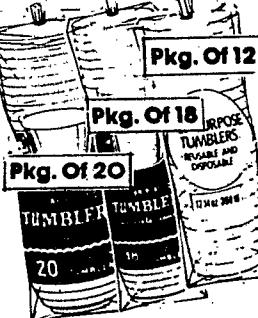
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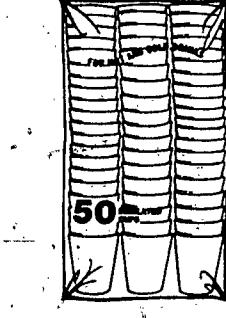
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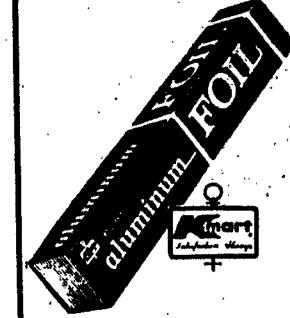
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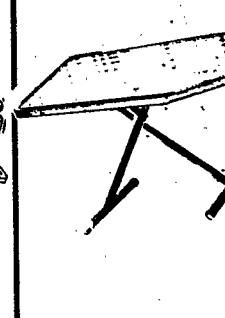
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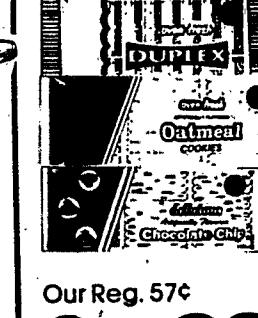
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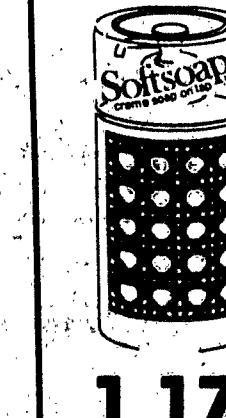
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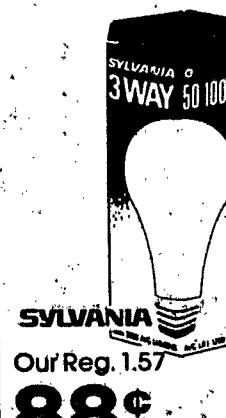
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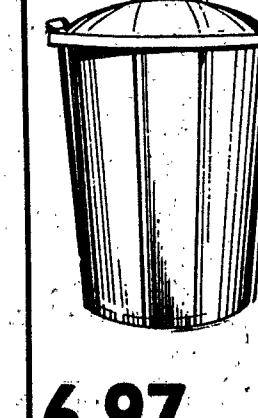
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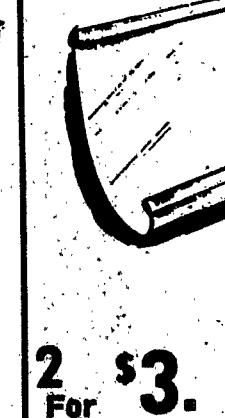
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## Ox teams vital to early logging operations

By S. GRADY THIGPEN  
As elsewhere in America, oxen played a big part in the settlement and development of south Mississippi. Just about the only source of power in the old days came from the use of oxen.

All the early logging was done with oxen - no trucks, no railroads, no mule teams - only ox teams.

The principal and almost the only business and means of livelihood up and down Pearl River 100 years ago was logging. In the early days practically all logs were hauled by two wheel log carts called Carry Logs pulled by oxen.

The Carry Log wheels were about 7' feet high and had wide tires. It would straddle a log and then the butt end of the log would be lifted off the ground by a windlass.

The other end of the log would drag the ground usually, but on extra long logs a tail cart would be used which would straddle the small end of the log which would be lifted with a windlass.

The pine trees were cut down, trimmed up and cut into proper lengths with axes.

Cross cut saws came into use later on.

There were no roads through the woods except where loggers trimmed out what were called logging roads. The high wide wheels of the Carry Logs would easily roll over most obstructions and over boggy ground. Good roads were not essential then as they are now with present type vehicles.

The logs would be hauled by the Carry Log to the nearest bayou or stream, rolled into the water and rafted for floating to the saw mill. Proper rafting of logs was work for skilled loggers.

Holes would be bored into the logs and oak pins, or steel pins, driven into the holes to enable the logger to firmly bind the logs together. After being securely fastened into a raft the logs would be floated down stream or pulled up.

stream by a boat, to their destination.

The loggers would put cooking utensils, groceries and sleeping essentials on the raft and ride it to the destination.

There was fine pine timber everywhere back then. Stumpage was very low in price. At one time the standard price for stumpage ran from 50 cents to \$1 per thousand feet for the finest timber that ever grew. Now it is about \$25 for what would have been mostly rejects back then.

Since all the logging back in the old days was done with oxen, farmers over this area raised oxen and trained them in teams to sell to the loggers.

They would get anywhere from \$200 to \$400 for a well trained team of four yokes of oxen, which would be several times what they could get for the same animals for beef.

Many farmers over south Mississippi made good money raising and training ox teams.

The usual team to pull a Carry Log was four yokes of trained oxen. The biggest yoke of oxen would be trained as the tongue yoke and hitched directly to the tongue of the Carry Log.

Under ordinary hauling conditions the tongue yoke did very little pulling but carried the weight of the tongue, acted as a brake if going down hill and helped pull in emergencies.

This tongue yoke would soon learn, apparently by instinct, to do the right thing at the right time to make the work easier for the whole team.

The lightest yoke in the four yoke team would be placed in front and called the lead yoke. They would soon learn to go around bad places and lead the team so as to make the pulling easier.

Mr. Sam T. Russ said, "There was something uncanny about the way the old ox would learn his business to make things easier for himself and team."

An ox team was a highly skilled power unit. The oxen,

with the driver, would work together like a highly trained football team does today, to get the best results.

Each ox knew his name. If a driver called an ox by name and flipped his whip, that ox would pay attention and perk up in his pulling. The driver did not often have to hit the ox with his whip.

When ready to hitch up in the early morning the driver would call the tongue ox by name. They would walk right up to their places without any prodding or driving.

The yoke, which weighed 75 or 80 pounds, would be placed over their necks and then bows placed under the yoke and properly secured by pins made for that purpose. Then the other yokes of oxen would be called up in order and gotten ready for the days work.

Always the oxen were called and talked to by their names. Familiar names were "Red", "Spot", "Speck", "Joe", "Broad", etc. If a new ox was to be prepared to go into the team an old ox would help him up and put him in his place, displaying almost human intelligence in his effort to help train the young ox.

An old time ox driver was highly skilled. He talked to his

team and they understood him. A good driver seldom used his whip. The driver and his team became a coordinated power unit. The old time driver would not let anyone else drive his team and he would not stand for any abuse of any ox in his team.

There's something about ox driving that I've never been able to understand. When a man once became a good ox driver, he never did want to do anything else. I have known ox drivers since I have been living in Picayune who would go long distances from home to get a job driving oxen when they could have had a better paying job right here without such hard work.

Maybe it was because the ox driver had under his command, with a good team, tremendous power which he took great pride in directing to get results. A good driver would haul logs out of places that seemed impossible. Where the Carry Log could not go, logs were snaked out by ox teams.

Oxen were fed only once a day. The driver would get up a couple of hours before daylight and feed this team. That would give the oxen plenty of time to eat before the crack of day, which was the signal to go to work.

Oxen were well fed and well taken care of, one reason

being the interest and pride of the driver in his teams and another that well fed oxen could do much more work.

It was the general custom to bring the ox teams in around the middle of the afternoon so that they could be turned loose to graze some before dark.

In order to be able to find them if they did not return by about sundown, one of the oxen would have a bell placed on its neck. This one was known as the bell ox.

To lubricate the axles of the Carry Log tar would be used. They would make an old time kiln of fat hauled so arranged that the tar would run out into buckets placed for the purpose.

The ox team, so vitally important in the old days, has gone the way of many other things which were so familiar in the long ago.

Ox drivers took great pride in their ability to pop their whips. When they would meet, a whip-popping contest would often be held. There is a place called "Pop Hill" northwest of Poplarville where it is said ox drivers would meet and hold such contests.

Where we have ball games, parades, bowling alleys, etc., now people back in the old days had whip popping contests, cow penning, horse

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FLEA MARKET - ALL WEEK LONG from 8-6 p.m. behind Fairgrounds off Chapman road on Beverly St. 467-3061. 12-25-2tch

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13. Trailers - Mobile Homes

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17. Pets - Lost & Found

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21. Personals

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22. Special Announcements

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37. Lots For Sale

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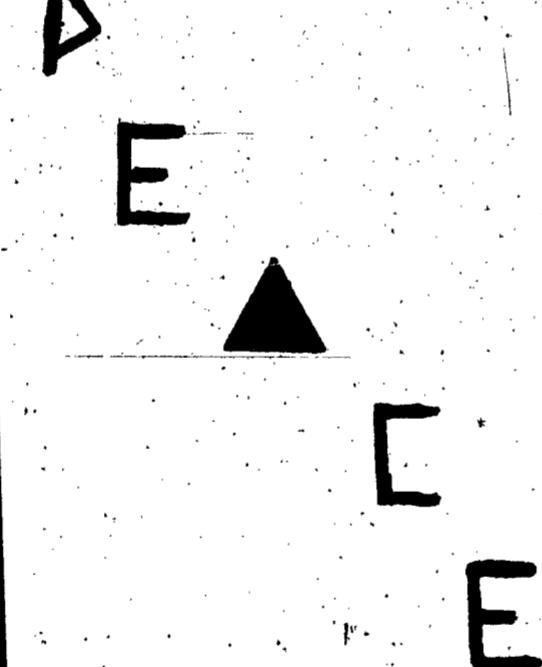
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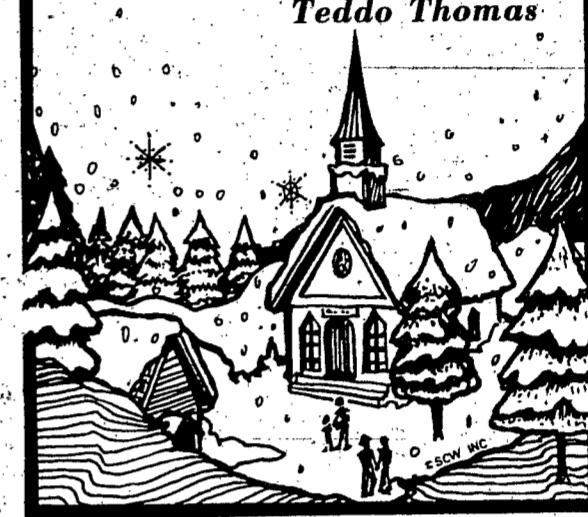
WE WISH YOU A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS  
AND  
A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR!

## Holiday Greetings

Hoping good friends and cheerful song enter your open door and warm your hearts this most happy Christmas time!

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## Glad Tidings

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## Season's Greetings

FROM

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SHEPHERD BOYS IN THE OLG KINDERGARTEN CHRISTMAS PAGEANT INCLUDE CHRISTEN

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ANGEL CHRISTY FAGOT JOINS WISEMEN BERNIE SY, CHRIS COWART AND BRENNAN COMPRETTA IN BAY CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY CHRISTMAS PAGEANT



FRANKIE PENTON IS SHEPHERD BOY IN KINDERGARTEN CHRISTMAS PAGEANT IN OLG CHURCH  
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RYAN SCHAEFER, MIKE O'MARA AND JEREMY CLARK SYMBOLIZE WISE MEN.

The Sea Coast Echo  
photo feature

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1980-10"



JULIE LAGASSE AS VIRGIN MARY AND MATTHEW FOY PLAYS ST. JOSEPH.



JEREMY CLARK AND RYAN SCHAEFER AS WISE MEN.

## Bay St. Louis First Presbyterian Kindergarten class presents 'Christmas Carols Near and Far'



IN THE NATIVITY SCENE ARE, FROM LEFT, LANE SPELL AS AN ANGEL, MATTHEW FOY AS ST. JOSEPH, JULIE LAGASSE AS VIRGIN MARY, AND AMY RUTLEDGE ALSO AS AN ANGEL.



DAVID HEITZMANN, ROBERT THORTON AND DWAYNE LIZANA REPRESENT SHEPHERDS



PORTRAYING WALES ARE, FROM LEFT, DREW SCAFIDE, LAURA VINOT AND JOHN CICHON.

### Staff photos

by Wayne Ducomb Jr.



REPRESENTING GERMANY ARE, FROM LEFT, JAMES PATE, LINDA HOLLAND AND WALKER LIDDELL.



BRANDI BRADLEY, LEFT, AND MARCIA WILLIAMS PORTRAY ANGELS.



REPRESENTING AUSTRIA ARE, FROM LEFT, CHAD PERRONE, REBECCA SCHAEFER AND MICHAEL FEASEL. JENIFER OTIS, RIGHT, PORTRAYS ENGLAND. SAMANTHA PITCARIN, NOT SHOWN, REPRESENTED AUSTRIA ALSO.

SEE KINDERGARTEN PAGE 2C

## Kindergarten..... CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1C



SYMBOLIZING ENGLAND ARE, FROM LEFT, JILL PELLEGRINI, TODD BARBER AND JENNIFER OTIS.



SYMBOLIZING FRANCE ARE, FROM LEFT, BRIAN MATHERNE, REBECCA BERMOND AND BRAD WIGGINS. JENIFER OTIS, RIGHT, REPRESENTS ENGLAND.

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PORTRAYING THE UNITED STATES ARE, FROM LEFT, ANGELA RHODES, RENE BERMOND, THERESA WAGNER AND, NOT SHOWN, NEIL HEITZMANN.

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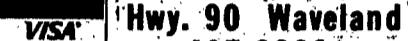
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YOUR SHOPPING  
CONVENIENCE

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LAND O  
SUNSHINE 1 LB. CTN.  
QUARTERS \$1 49

## CAKE MIX

BETTY CROCKER  
ASSORTED 18 1/2 OZ  
BOX 69¢

## COCKTAIL

ASTOR  
FRUIT 2 16 OZ.  
CANS 89¢

## GREEN PEAS

CREOLE  
SMALL 3 16 OZ.  
CANS \$1 00

GREEN  
GIANT

CORN  
WH. KERNEL  
OR CR. STYLE 3 17 OZ.  
CANS \$1 00

## GREEN BEANS

THRIFTY MAID  
FR. STYLE 3 15 1/2 OZ.  
CANS 89¢

SHANK  
PORTION

HAMS  
FULLY COOKED  
WATER ADDED  
LB. \$1 09

## SMALL HAMS

12-14 LB. AVG.  
DRY CURED LB. \$1 49

## BRISKET

SHENSON'S  
CORNED BEEF LB. \$2 59

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HICKORY  
SWEET 1 LB.  
PKG. \$1 29

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FROSTINGS ASSTD. FLAVORS	16 oz. can 1 39
CHEK DRINKS	6 12 oz. cans 1 19

## MAYONNAISE



BLUE  
PLATE  
32 OZ.  
JAR

98¢

MAXWELL HOUSE INSTANT COFFEE	10 oz. jar 3 99	
AUNT JEMIMA S/R OR YELLOW CORN MEAL	5 lb. pkg. 1 19	
CRACKIN GOOD DIP CHIPS OR POTATO CHIPS	8 oz. pkg. 79¢	
DEEP SOUTH WHOLE SWEET PICKLES	22 oz. jar 1 29	
TOP VALUE PEANUTS	8 oz. jar 1 09	
BROWN N SERVE VELVA ROLLS	2 pkgs. for 99¢	
WHITE SWAN W/STEMS CHERRIES	10 oz. jar 99¢	
KOUNTRY FRESH FRY ROASTED PEANUTS	FESTIVAL DIXIE DARLING BROWNIE MIX	2 lb. box 1 89
THANK YOU ONION DIP	8 oz. pkg. 75¢	

## CAULIFLOWER

HARVEST  
FRESH  
LARGE HEAD 69¢

## CABBAGE

3 LARGE \$1 00  
HEADS

— FROZEN FOOD BUYS —

SUPERBRAND SHERBET OR ICE CREAM	half gallon 99¢
ASTOR FROZEN ORANGE JUICE	6 6 oz. cans 2 09
JENO SAUS. OR PEP. PIZZA ROLLS	6 oz. pkg. 79¢
JENO EGG ROLLS	9 oz. pkg. 1 79
DIXIANA BLACKEYE PEAS	24 oz. pkg. 1 09

## BONELESS HAMS

WHOLE 6-8 LB. AVG. \$1 99

FULLY COOKED WD OR  
WATER ADDED Hickory Sweet

LB. 2 19

3-5 LB. AVG. \$2 19

HALF HAMS LB. 1 99

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COLLINSWOOD FRYER BREAST OR LEG QUARTERS	LB. 89¢
W.D. REGULAR FRANKS	12 oz. pkg. 99¢
SMALL LEAN SPARE RIBS	lb. 1 39
SWEET PICKLED PORK	lb. 1 69
HORMEL SLICED PEPPERONI	6 oz. pkg. 1 69
HORMEL SLICED HARD SALAMI	6 oz. pkg. 1 89
HORMEL SLICED SIZZLERS	12 oz. pkg. 1 39
JIMMY DEAN'S PORK SAUSAGE	lb. 1 69
W.D. SLICED COOKED HAM	6 oz. pkg. 1 99
W.D. REG. OR DINNER FRANKS	16 oz. pkg. 1 49



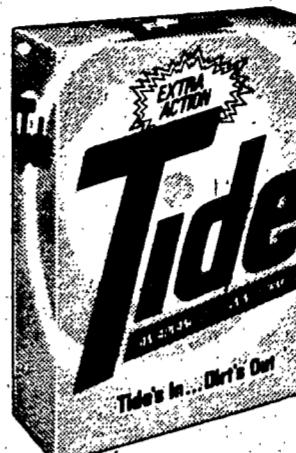
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STAMPS

THIS WEEK

2 PIECE  
COFFEE MUG EA \$5 99

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DETERGENT  
15¢ OFF  
LABEL  
49 OZ.  
BOX

32 oz.  
pkg. 1 29  
22 oz.  
btl. 1 09  
7 oz.  
btl. 89¢  
30 ct.  
pkg. 1 19



ASTOR INSTANT  
POTATOES  
DAWN LIQUID (13¢ OFF LABEL)  
DETERGENT  
THRIFTY MAID  
SALAD OLIVES  
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MASSENGILL TWIN DISP.  
DOUCHE EA 1 45  
MASSENGILL MED. DISP.  
DOUCHE 12 oz.  
twin 2 09  
MASSENGILL MED. DISP.  
DOUCHE 6 oz.  
pkg. 1 05

MAZOLA  
PURE  
CORN  
OIL  
48 OZ.  
BTL. 2 19

REDDI MAID CHERRY  
PIE FILLING 21 oz.  
pkg. 99¢  
REDDI MAID BLUEBERRY  
PIE FILLING 21 oz.  
pkg. 99¢  
REDDI MAID APPLE  
PIE FILLING 20 oz.  
pkg. 69¢

— FROM THE PRODUCE PATCH —

U.S. NO. 1 RED  
POTATOES 10 LB.  
BAG \$1 89

CARROTS 3 1 LB.  
PKGS. \$1 00

SUPERBRAND CHILLED  
APPLE JUICE half  
gallon 1 09  
HARVEST FRESH  
EGGPLANTS 2 for  
only 1 00  
HARVEST FRESH  
GARLIC 10 oz.  
bog 1 19  
HARVEST, FRESH CALIFORNIA  
TANGERINES 3 lb.  
bog 1 09

— DAIRY SPECIALS —

SUPERBRAND (16 OZ. CUP 99¢)  
SOUR CREAM 2 8 oz.  
cups 1 09

SUPERBRAND (12 OZ. CUP 69¢)  
COTTAGE CHEESE 24 oz.  
cup 1 37

PALMETTO FARM  
PIMENTO CHEESE 16 oz.  
cup 99¢

SUPERBRAND  
EGG NOG half  
gallon 2 29

HORMEL WHOLE OR HALF  
CURE 81 HAMS 2 29

JENNIE O  
TURKEY HAMS 1 99

FULLY COOKED WATER ADDED  
WHOLE HAMS OR BUTT  
PORTION 1 19

SWIFT OR PATRICK CUDAHY  
HAMS 3 con 5 99  
THICK OR THIN CENTER CUT  
HAM STEAKS 1 99  
TALMADGE COUNTRY 11-14 LB.  
CURED HAMS 1 59

— W.D. BRAND U.S. CHOICE BEEF —

SIRLOIN STEAK EXCELLENT  
FOR BROILING LB. 3 19

T-BONE STEAK EXCELLENT  
FOR BROILING LB. 3 39

EXCELLENT FOR BROILING  
PORTERHOUSE STEAK.. lb. 3 49

BONELESS NEW YORK  
STRIP STEAKS 3 lb.  
pkg. 3 99

BONELESS NEW YORK  
STRIP STEAKS 3 lb.  
pkg. 1 29

W.D. JUMBO  
BEEF FRANKS 16 oz.  
pkg. 1 59

W.D. BRAND  
BEEF FRANKS 12 oz.  
pkg. 1 19

BUDDE'S THIN SLICED  
COLD CUTS 2 1/2 oz.  
pkgs. 99¢

OSCAR MAYER REG.  
WIENERS 12 oz.  
pkg. 1 39

OSCAR MAYER REG.  
FRANKS 12 oz.  
pkg. 1 49

HICKORY-SWEET THICK  
SLICED BACON 2 258



## DOWN HOME

By Darlene Underwood

Hancock County Extension  
Home Economist

**CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS**  
The tradition of the Christmas tree has its roots deep in antiquity. Some claim it is a pagan rite stemming from the Egyptian observances of the winter's approach when the green date palms were brought indoors to symbolize the victory of life over death.

The legend most in keeping with the Christmas season is the one concerning the English missionary Saint Boniface. Nearly 1,200 years ago, while traveling through northern Germany, he found a group of people around an oak tree near Geismar who were preparing to sacrifice a young prince to God Thor. The missionary cut down the oak tree and, as it fell, a fir tree came into view. Saint Boniface told the people that the fir was the tree of life, representing Christ.

During the American Revolution, the Christmas tree crossed the Atlantic with the Hessian soldiers. A description of a Christmas at Fort Dearborn, Ill., in 1804 mentions a Christmas tree decorated with popcorn, candy, nuts and tufts of cotton.

Some of the eating customs have interesting origins. Some claim that the first plum pudding or plum porridge, as it was called, was prepared when the King of England and his hunting party strayed too far from the castle. Forced to make camp for the night, the cook was at wit's end to produce a royal treat, so he threw into the pot all the food on hand.

A clue to the contents of the great delicacy came from a contemporary of Samuel Pepys, who noted that plum porridge was made of boiled beef or mutton, brown bread, raisins, currants, prunes, cloves, mace and ginger. Plum puddings were made by the dozen in those days.

According to superstition, it was good luck to eat a plum pudding on each of the days between Christmas and Epiphany, making a wish for the first mouthful each day. But, woe to the person who nibbled on the pudding before the holiday feast began - he would be in trouble for 12 months to come.

Early New Englanders adapted the recipe of their forefathers when they came to the colonies. Their food supply was different, so they altered the recipe. An example is a recipe which called for venison suet, elderberry preserves, and dried wild plums. But, just as the British plum pudding changed with the economy, so did the early New England settlers. Many lavish fruits and nuts were added later.

Some believe that our fruit cakes stem from steamed puddings and came later. They relate that records from medieval England telling of the thickened fruit puddings eventually led to the cakes, which involved the addition of a leavening agent.

Preparing fruit cakes from the ingredients available in the 18th century called for days of kitchen labor. Hours were spent cleaning, seeding

and chopping the fruits. There were currants from Greece, raisins from Turkey and honey-soaked citrus peel from Italy. The flour had to be dried before an open fire before it could be used in the cakes. It was truly a family process to prepare the cakes.

Not only was England known for its plum pudding, but also for its Wassail bowl. The word Wassail was Anglo-Saxon for 'be well.' The proper reply was drink well. The recipe called for ale, beaten eggs, sugar and nutmeg served warm, with toast floating in the soft custard

foam. The ale-soaked toast was the best part of all, and drinking a 'toast' was a happy occasion.

In the story of Jack Horner's pie, which was made of mincemeat, Jack undoubtedly pulled out a raisin. In that day, the old proverb promised that for each mincemeat pie eaten at Christmas, there would be one month of happiness.

Countless other customs exist. In Armenia, boiled spinach is eaten. In Holland, small gifts are hidden in puddings and sausages. In Scandinavian countries, a large rice pudding containing

a single almond is prepared in the belief that the person receiving the portion with the almond will be married before the following Christmas. In Poland, wafers instead of gifts are exchanged between friends.

Although it has been celebrated around the world in ways that may astonish us today, Christmas still retains its religious aspects. In each country, there is some special way of remembering the birth of Christ, but no matter how simple, each holds its own significance.

## UNO names Californian graduate school dean

Dr. Robert S. Jordan, the Dag Hammarskjold professor of international relations at the University of South Carolina from 1979-80, will assume the position of graduate dean of the University of New Orleans Graduate School effective January 1.

A scholar with an extensive background in international affairs, Jordan earned a doctor of philosophy degree from Oxford University in England, a Ph.D. and a master's from Princeton, a master's from the University of Utah and a bachelor's degree from the University of California at Los Angeles.

He served as director of research for the United Nations Institute for Training and Research from 1975-79 and as a special fellow and senior research specialist for the institute from 1974-80.

He is a former chairman of the political science department of State University of New York at Binghamton and from 1968-70 was director of the foreign affairs intern program of the School of Public and International Affairs at George Washington University.

The native Californian has authored or co-authored 12 books and numerous publications.

He is a vice president of the International Studies Association, a member and

former chairman of the Committee on Atlantic Studies, a member of the Commission to Study the Organization of Peace and a former member of the Atlantic Community Quarterly's editorial advisory committee.

Jordan's honors include appointments as an E.I. DuBois fellow in American government, Princeton; Fulbright Scholar, St. Anthony's College, Oxford; NATO.

Research fellow; fellow, African Studies Association; as associate of the Columbia University seminars; and a faculty research fellow, George Washington University and State University of New York.

Jordan, who is married and has four children, is listed in Who's Who in America, American Men and Women of Science, the Directory of Social Scientists specializing in African Studies, Who's Who in the United Nations, the International Authors and Writers Who's Who, Men of Achievement, International Biographical Center and others.



We're wishing you a bright and glowing holiday season filled with warmth, mirth and good feeling. Merry Christmas!

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## Temporary positions

### open at national park

The National Park Service is accepting applications for temporary positions as park technician and park aid at Gulf Islands National Seashore through Jan. 15.

Applications are available at the administrative office of Gulf Islands National Seashore on Davis Bayou in Ocean Springs or call (601) 875-9057 or write to 4000 Hanley Road, Ocean Springs, Miss. 39564 to request an application.

Park Service spokesman Geraldine Story explained, "Park technicians protect the park resources, provide visitor safety, and interpret the natural and cultural resources."

"In the Mississippi portion of Gulf Islands National Seashore, park technicians give tours of Fort Massachusetts and present interpretive programs, such as snorkeling on Ship Island. Other technicians patrol Ship Island and the other two national seashore islands, Horn Island and Petit Bois Island. The technicians commute to Ship Island by boat from Biloxi, Gulfport, or park headquarters at Davis Bayou in Ocean Springs, Mississippi," Story reported.

"Technicians also give jet boat tours of the marsh and present programs at Davis Bayou. A park aid man the visitor contact station at

Davis Bayou," she noted.

"In the Florida portion of Gulf Islands National Seashore, located in the Pensacola area, technicians give tours of Ft. Pickens and Ft. Barrancas and operate the Sandbox, a marine museum. Other technicians patrol the national seashore for resource protection and visitor safety. Park aids man information stations and collect fees," Story said.

"Most of the park technicians and park aids are employed from Memorial Day to Labor Day. A few positions are available as early as March," she added.

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Research fellow; fellow, African Studies Association; as associate of the Columbia University seminars; and a faculty research fellow, George Washington University and State University of New York.

Jordan, who is married and has four children, is listed in Who's Who in America, American Men and Women of Science, the Directory of Social Scientists specializing in African Studies, Who's Who

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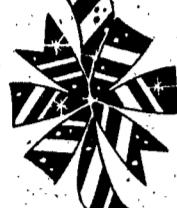
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## Hancock County Forester

## TIMBER-LINE...

By Rand Riedrich

This being the Christmas Season, I thought I would consider the history of one of our most treasured customs of the season - the Christmas Tree.

Like many of our most treasured customs, the origins have come from our pagan past.

The custom of bringing green boughs into the house

during religious festivals is ancient.

The Egyptians, for instance, sun god religions, in which celebrated the shortest day of the year by bringing into their nature.

The custom of decorating homes green date palms as a symbol of the triumph of life and lighting the trees is at least 1 millennium old and apparently came from German mythology, green boughs symbolized the revival of Balder, the sun god.

It could, therefore, be said that the Christmas Tree custom is a heritage from the

year by bringing into their nature.

The custom of decorating trees symbolized the revival of

over death; in Norse mythology, green boughs symbolized the revival of

Balder, the sun god.

It came to this country about the time of the Revolutionary War.

The British brought over Hessian mercenaries from Germany to fight the colonists.

When the war was over many of the mercenaries settled here and brought their ancient customs with them.

It caught on and today the decorated Christmas Tree has become an indispensable part of the Christmas celebration in most American homes.

The Mississippi Forestry Commission and I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and yours a safe and happy Christmas Season.

please don't ask me to sample it - we like ours thick and almost spoonable.

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By Katy McGuire Caire

## Legal Notice

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI CHANCERY SUMMONS CAUSE NO. 15,355

TO GERALD RAY SMITH, who is an adult non-resident of the State of Mississippi and whose post office and street address is 4244 Redfern Lane, Chesapeake, Virginia 23321. You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 3rd Monday of February A.D. 1981, to defend the suit No. 15,255 in said Court of BEVERLY ANN SMITH, wherein you are a defendant.

This 2nd day of December A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Chancery Clerk, BY: Sandra Rutherford D.C. 12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS USED COUNTY EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids until 10:00 a.m. Monday, January 5, 1981, for the right to purchase for cash the following used County equipment: One Used Case 450 Dozer, Ser. No. S031916.

Said equipment may be inspected at the Beat 4 Barn.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Published by order of the Board of Supervisors dated December 1, 1980. (SEAL)

E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Clerk, Board of Supervisors Hancock County, Mississippi. By James L. Pfeiffer, D.C. 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI CHANCERY SUMMONS CAUSE NO. 15,115

TO BARBARA GASPARETTI, who is a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, residing at 69 Woodridge Road, Rogers, Benton County, Arkansas.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 7th day of January A.D. 1981, to plead, answer or demur to the Petition To Modify Foreign Decree in suit no. 15,176 in the said Court of VELMA MACK PHILLIPS. This hearing is then set for the 7th day of January, 1981, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. at the Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, wherein you are a defendant.

This 2nd day of December A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Chancery Clerk, BY: Sandra Rutherford D.C. 12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI CHANCERY SUMMONS NO. 15,277

TO HEIRS AT LAW OF ELLA PEARL ESTEVES, DECEASED. You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 8th DAY of JANUARY A.D. 1981, to plead, answer or demur to the Petition To Adjudicate Heirs At Law of Ella Pearl Esteves in suit no. 15,297 in the said Court of RAYMOND J. ESTEVES, MICHAEL R. ESTEVES, and JERRY O. ESTEVES. This hearing is then set for the 9th day of January, 1981, at 10 o'clock a.m. at the Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, wherein you are a defendant.

This 18th day of December A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Chancery Clerk, BY: Sandra Rutherford D.C. 12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

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E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Chancery Clerk, D.C. 12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS NO. 15,247

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Alice G. Nilsson, deceased, were granted to the undersigned Executor by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 19th day of November, 1980; therefore, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within 90 days from the date of the first publication of this notice, and that failure to probate and register same in 90 days will bar the claim.

Witness my signature, this the 19th day of November, 1980.

Walter Charles Nilsson, Executor of the Estate of Alice G. Nilsson, Deceased George H. Lipscomb, Jr. 125-C Main Street, P.O. Box 121 Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 Attorney for Executor

12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI CHANCERY SUMMONS CAUSE NO. 15,783

TO MARY M. NURSE, whose post office and street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 3rd Monday of February A.D. 1981, to defend the suit No. 14,793 in said Court of LECAREY B. NURSE, wherein you are a defendant.

This 2nd day of December A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Chancery Clerk, BY: Sandra Rutherford D.C. 12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, HANCOCK COUNTY EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS NO. 15,259

Letters Testamentary having been granted to the estate of MARY L. SMITH, of MARY L. SMITH.

Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of R. F. MESTAYER, Jr., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, under date of December 8, 1980, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within 90 days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 5th day of DECEMBER, A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

LILLIE MAE HOVER, Executrix Nicholas M. Haas Bay St. Louis Attorney for Estate

12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80; 1-1-81

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, HANCOCK COUNTY EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS NO. 15,582

Letters Testamentary having been granted to the estate of EDWARD J. BRENNAN, deceased.

Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of R. F. Mestayer, Jr., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, under date of December 8, 1980, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within 90 days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 8th day of December, A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

EDWARD J. BRENNAN, Executrix Chawtin M. Jackson, Jr. Solicitor

P. O. Box 27 Kosciusko, MS 39090

12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80; 1-1-81

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI CHANCERY SUMMONS NO. 15,115

TO SELMA R. GARCIA, who is a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose last known post office and street address was 2135 Placer Hills Road, Colfax, California 95713, after diligent search and inquiry.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 3rd Monday of February A.D. 1981, to defend the suit No. 15,115 in said Court of WILLIAM D. GARCIA, wherein you are a defendant.

This 16th day of December A.D. 1980. (SEAL)

E. MICHAEL NECAISE, Chancery Clerk, BY: Sandra Rutherford D.C. 12-4; 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Bay St. Louis for supplying the Sewage Department with a Pickup. The bids should be delivered to the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, 39520, by 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 6, 1981. The bids will be opened at 7:00 p.m., or shortly thereafter.

The body should meet the following specifications:

1 only Koenig Model 544J Mini J, or equivalent to service body for small pickup trucks having a 45" to 47" cab to axle and single wheels, step bumper, rear lights, and in-bed trailer carrier.

Please submit separate bids for 1980 and 1981 models.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Published by order of the City Council dated December 2, 1980. (SEAL)

EDWARD A. FAURE CITY CLERK CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Bay St. Louis for sale of office declared surplus. The bids should be delivered to the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, 39520, by 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 6, 1981. The bids will be opened at 7:00 p.m., or shortly thereafter.

The bids will be for the following described property declared surplus:

1 1971 Dodge, 1 1/2 ton stake body truck DTF101J07337; 1 1967 Ford, Stake body truck F60BKA1462; 1 1975 Chevrolet Impala sedan 1LA9H5J195856; 1 1972 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup CCS142A106730; 1 pile scrap metal.

All bids should be for property as is. No liability will be assumed by the City of Bay St. Louis.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Published by order of the City Council dated December 2, 1980. (SEAL)

EDWARD A. FAURE CITY CLERK CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 12-11; 12-18; 12-25-80

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, for the sale of three (3) Used Chevrolet School Buses. Descriptions are as follows:

Bus No. 1 - Model 1968 - 66 Capacity

Bus No. 2 - Model 1969 - 66 Capacity

Bus No. 3 - Model 1969 - 53 Capacity

All used buses can be seen at Turan-Lane Chevrolet, Bay St. Louis, Ms.

The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Signed, published and posted on this the 13th day of December, 1980.

NICHOLAS M. HAAS

ST. LUCIA ADAM AND ANY AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, OR INTEREST IN AND TO THE PROPERTY

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Sliced Bacon. . . . . 129¢  
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13 OZ. TUB, REFRIG., PASTERIZED, PROCESS, CHEESE  
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18 OZ. PKG, FROZEN HAMBURGER SAUSAGE,  
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**No-Frills Bread** . . . . . 33¢

5 LB. BAG, QUICK COOKING  
Jim Dandy Grits. . . . . \$1.39

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Rice Krispies Cereal. . . . . \$1.19

18 OZ. BOX, NABISCO, SPOON SIZE  
Shredded Wheat. . . . . 1.29

48 OZ. BOTTLE  
Whipped Topping. . . . . 89¢

8 OZ. BOX, SNACK  
Keebler Crackers. . . . . 89¢

15 OZ. BOX, JELLY  
Corn Muffin Mix. . . . . 4/\$1

5 LB. BAG, JIM DANDY, PLAIN OR SELF-RISING  
Corn Meal. . . . . \$1.39

14 OZ. CAN  
Bryan Tamales. . . . . 59¢

15 OZ. CAN, BRYAN  
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DIP STYLE  
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## Area youths perform in Waveland recital



YOUNG PIANISTS — Students of Kathleen Asher of Waveland recently received awards at a recent recital. Participating in the award's presentation are, from left, Asher, Nolan Marchand of New Orleans; Keith Mallini, Norma Morrison and Raymond Wallace, all of Bay St. Louis; and Jacqueline Wilson of Waveland. (Staff photo by Wayne Ducom Jr.)

## Utility company names new industrial manager



DAVID WILLIAMS

Mississippi Power Company Board Chairman Victor J. Daniel, Jr., announced the appointment this week of David Williams as manager of the company's Industrial Development Department in Gulfport.

Williams, a native of Laurel, previously worked six years in the Industrial Development Department before transferring to Biloxi-Ocean Springs as an area engineer. He succeeds Bob Daniels who was recently named manager of Mississippi Power Company's Meridian Division.

"Throughout Mississippi Power Company's 55-year history, the Industrial

Development Department has engaged in helping attract new industries and new payrolls to southeast Mississippi. Williams' experience in the field of industrial development enhances the company's ability to contract industrial prospects across America, to assist industry's site selection teams, and to help state and local development groups," Daniels said.

Williams graduated from Mississippi State University in 1965, earning a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. He joined Mississippi Power Company in October, 1966, working initially in Gulfport, later in Meridian and then in Hattiesburg. He transferred to the Industrial Development Department in 1972 where he worked until late 1978 before moving to Biloxi-Ocean Springs.

A registered professional engineer, Williams has been active in the Jaycees, Optimist Club, Mississippi Industrial Development Council, and Southern Industrial Development Council. He is major in the U.S. Air Force Reserve and serves as a member of the 920th Weather Reconnaissance Group "Storm Trackers."

He is married to the former Carol Watts of Miami.

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## Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus,  
We hope you had a nice summer.

Those participating in the recital, were Norma Morrison, Jacqueline Wilson, Carla Green, Amy Green, Carolyn Ulrich, Chris Longo, Alana Noonan, Patches Rook, Alison Miller, Melinda Miller, Virginia Haas, Bethany Burrows, Jennifer Burrows, Joseph Overal, Shea Evans, Derek Evans, Nolan Marchand, Raymond Wallace and Keith Mallini.

Keith Mallini, Nolan Marchand and Kule Palmer decorated and hosted a reception which immediately followed the recital.

Virginia Wilson, Norma Morrison, and Virginia Haas were co-hostesses.

Hi Santa  
My name is Samatha Faye. I am 3 yrs old. I am writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like a training bike, a tea set, a doll, a grocery cart, that is all I want for Christmas.

Love,  
Samatha Faye

When you come for Christmas please bring my sister and me some dolls, a grocery basket, a picnic basket, some skates, a big red wagon, some bean bag chairs, a drum set, and a stove and refrigerator.

Don't forget to bring us both the same thing 'cause sometimes we fight a little over toys. Just sometimes though! Mostly we're good.

When you come, Santa don't forget me, Mama, and Stephanie are making you Rice Krispie Treats to eat.

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Bethany and Stephanie

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